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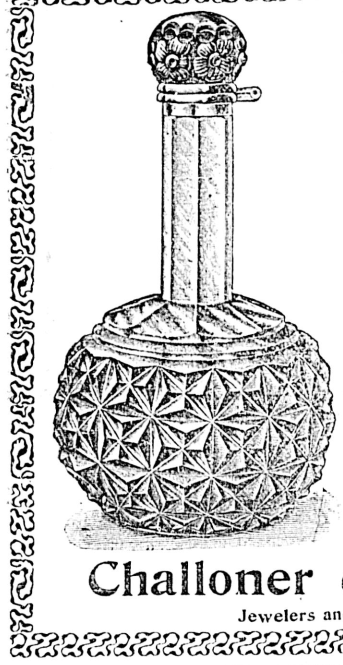

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Ottawa Is Preparing

Capital Already Getting Ready to Entertain the Royal Visitors.

Colonel Cotton Succeeds to the Position of Quartermaster General.

Deaths Among Members of the South African Constabulary Are Reported.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Ont., June 10.—At a meeting to-night of the civic committee, a tentative programme was arranged for the reception of the Royal party in September. A number of sub-committees were appointed to provide decorations, music and entertainment.

Colonel Cotton, assistant adjutant-general for artillery at headquarters, and officer commanding the Ottawa brigade, will succeed Colonel Hubert Foster as quartermaster-general.

The following deaths among the Canadians in the South African Constabulary have been reported to the Governor-General. Trooper Edward Mullins died of enteric fever at Elandsfontein, May 31. He belonged to Albert County, N. B. Trooper Wm. Hannon of Kildare County, Ireland, died of enteric at Bloemfontein, 27th May; Trooper Chas. Harlett, of Woonona, Man., died of wounds received at Rietsfontein, May 31. This latter report indicates that the Canadians have been under fire.

A curious feature of the strike occurred on Saturday afternoon when the saw-mill employees of W. C. Edwards, M. P., left the factory, at five, instead of six o'clock, after their demand for shorter hours had been refused. If Mr. Edwards attempts to dock the men for the hour there will be a general strike in the mill.

The steamer James Swift, of the Rideau Lakes Navigation company, took fire last night at her berth in the canal basin here. One of her crew, a fireman, Robt. Ireland, of Barriefield, near Kingston, was burned to death, and three others, John Miller of Newboro, Thos. Sykes of Seeley Bay and Richard Dunn of Brockville, are in the hospital suffering from a severe scorching. They only escaped by jumping into the dock.

Y. M. C. A.

Anniversary in Montreal of First Association on This Continent.

Montreal, June 10.—The anniversary of the Montreal Y.M.C.A. was brought to a close to-day by the unveiling of a bronze tablet on the site of the building in which the first association on the continent was formed November 25, 1851. The unveiling ceremony was performed by Howard Williams of London, Eng., son of Sir Geo. Williams, founder of the association work, who delivered an address dealing with the growth of the work and the recognition it had received from the late Queen and the present King. He was followed by John R. Mott, of New York, who highly praised the work of the Montreal association, describing it as a model for associations throughout the country to work upon. The proceedings closed with a reception of the visiting delegates, who later left on the night trains for Boston to attend the big anniversary gathering.

AT NANAIMO.

New Bank of Commerce Building Commenced—Another Rock Located.

Nanaimo, June 10.—(Special.)—Work began to-day on the new Bank of Commerce building. It will be rushed to completion.

Captain Walbran reports he has located a sunken rock in the centre of the channel between Cottam reef and Dorcas Point, near Beaver Creek wharf. The rock lies only nine feet over it in low water. It is now marked by a black spar buoy being moored at the northern edge of the rock. From this buoy the south tangent of Gerald Island bears east half north and Tongue Point extreme southwest three-quarters west, distant nine cables.

Murdoch Morrison was elected road foreman of Cedar district for the year at the meeting in Ladysmith on Saturday night.

WEST DURHAM VACANT.

Corrupt Practices Makes Another Election Necessary—Tarte Praises Borden.

Cobourg, June 10.—(Special)—West Durham has been declared vacant owing to corrupt practices.

Toronto, June 10.—(Special)—Hon. C. Wood has been nominated as Liberal Candidate for West Victoria.

Owen Sound, June 10.—(Special)—In the course of a speech here at a complimentary banquet to himself and Mr. Clergue, on Friday evening, Mr. Tarte regretted Mr. R. L. Borden was not present, and paid a tribute to that gentleman for the manner in which he had led the opposition last session.

CLUBS RAIDED.

Gambling Outfits Seized in Two Montreal Establishments.

Montreal, June 10.—(Special)—Two social clubs were raided by the police on Saturday night and a large quantity of gambling paraphernalia seized. They were Belmont Club and St. Jean Baptistic Club. A big legal fight will follow, and threats are made to have the St. James Club raided also as retaliation.

PROMOTED.

Winnipeg, June 10.—(Special)—W. B. Lanigan, acting general freight agent of the C. P. R. at Toronto, has been appointed to succeed Mr. G. H. Shaw as assistant general freight agent at Winnipeg. Mr. Lanigan comes highly recommended as a most capable and popular man.

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WAS SHE MURDERED?

Woman Dupe to Aid Insurance Swindle Overdid Her Part.

Chicago, June 10.—Dr. A. H. Hunger and F. Wayland, who have been on trial for conspiracy to defraud insurance companies through the death of Miss Mary Defenbach, were this evening found guilty and sentenced to penitentiary. Frank H. Smiley, indicted with Hunger and Wayland, pleaded guilty and turned state's evidence. It is likely that he will escape with a light sentence. The evidence in that case showed that Hunger, Brown, Smiley and Miss Defenbach entered into a conspiracy by which Smiley was to appear as the affianced husband of the woman. She was then to be ill and die, leaving the insurance, which included one policy in a stock company and two in fraternal organizations, the total aggregating $25,000. The woman in her will said that she desired her remains to be cremated, and it is thought that it was the intention to hurry her away after her supposed death and cremate another body procured from a hospital. The woman was taken ill according to programme, but did not rally and died. Her body was at once cremated. An inquest was held by assistant coroner John B. Weickler without a jury, and Weickler returned to the coroner's office a verdict that the woman had died of natural causes. The death of the woman is shrouded in mystery and physicians on the stand differed widely as to the cause of death. The state, however, declared that the woman was murdered, although it could not be proved. It was shown that all the insurance carried by the woman was assigned before her death and that her will was drawn up after these assignments had been made.

Royal Visit To Dominion

Report From London That the Duchess May Not Come to the Coast.

Governor General Expresses Himself as Satisfied With Progress of Programme.

Ottawa, June 10.—(Special)—As Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been invited to accompany the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on the royal tour of Canada, he will not be able to make his projected trip to the Yukon, but it is understood Messrs. Tarte, Sifton and Patterson will visit the gold country in August.

A report comes from Toronto that Lord Minto recently wrote to Lieut.-Governor Mowat, intimating that Government House there would be expected to be placed at the disposal of the royal party, and that the Lieutenant-Governor replied, declining to vacate his official residence. Lord Minto, accompanied by Capt. Bell, A.D.C., has left for the summer fishing on the Restigouche, so that the information which your correspondent could get on the subject was indirect. A member of the household stated, however, that Lord Minto, just before leaving, expressed himself highly satisfied with the progress of arrangements for the royal visit; "and," he added, "I do not think His Excellency would have been so sanguine had there been such a serious hitch."

Montreal, June 10.—(Special)—A private letter from London, received this morning, brings an interesting rumor, which may, if it proves correct, interfere with the programme laid down for the tour of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York in the Dominion. The letter states that it is currently reported in society circles that Her Royal Highness is expecting an addition to her family, and that this interesting event is expected to take place about the time when the royal party is scheduled to reach Canada. Should this prove to be correct, it is quite possible that the Duke of Cornwall and York will have to make the transcontinental trip without the Duchess, who may have to remain either at Quebec or Ottawa until the Duke's return.

Auckland, June 10.—The British steamer Ophir with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, arrived at noon today.

THE ALEXANDRA MINERS ACCEPT

Committee of Men Meets Mr. Dunsmuir and Settlement Easily Arranged.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, B. C., June 10.—Messrs. Dunsmuir and Faulds this afternoon met a committee of Alexandra miners in the company's office at South Wellington regarding prices. Mr. Dunsmuir offered the same scale as was in operation immediately before the mine closed down. That is a ton of 2,352 pounds, at sixty-six cents. The interview lasted nearly two hours, and immediately afterward a mass meeting of miners was held in the union's hall to discuss Mr. Dunsmuir's offer. When Messrs. Dunsmuir and Faulds were conversing with the committee on the railway track before entering the office to discuss prices, Lionel Terry, secretary of the union, joined them. Mr. Faulds said: "This is Mr. Terry, Mr. Dunsmuir." The Premier replied, I don't want to see him at all. An animated argument then took place, in which Mr. Dunsmuir declared he had no objection to meeting a committee of his own workmen, but did not want any delegation from the union. He was prepared to employ union men, but declined having anything whatever to do with Terry, who withdrew. The miners at a mass meeting unanimously decided to accept Mr. Dunsmuir's offer, adoption of a resolution being carried amidst cheers.

The meeting then exonerated Secretary Terry from all blame, and upon his informing them he was going away, altogether, presented him a purse of one hundred dollars. Mr. Dunsmuir in reply to a question after conference with committee said if miners rejected his offer he would not bring in any non-union men to operate the mine, it would lie idle. Mr. Faulds stated one hundred men would be started, and work begins tomorrow. Mr. Dunsmuir went to Extension to-night.

Decline The Offer

Fraser River Union Will Not Accept Terms of the Canners.

And Opinion Is Expressed That Efforts at Agreement May Fail.

Indians Agree Not to Fish Until the Price of Salmon is Settled.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, June 10.—The grand lodge of the Fishermen's Union report to the executive of the canners' combine this afternoon that the white fishermen and Indians decline to accept the offer of the canners. The proposition was to pay 12 cents for sockeyes during July and 10 cents during August, with the understanding that the price would be lowered thereafter, if the run was too big to handle. A great deal of argument was advanced on both sides and the whole question was thrashed out. The canners' executive finally informed the fishermen's executive that their demand for 15 cents per fish was simply out of the question and would not be considered; but that the time for the payment of 12 cents per fish would be extended until the 3rd of August, thus taking in another Saturday.

Dr. Bell-Irving, chairman of the canners' executive, states that he does not believe the fishermen will accept the proposition of the canners, and he fears a strike and probably trouble, for the canners were not prepared to make any further concessions, but would go on and put up their pack with any fishermen, Japanese, Indians or whites, who would accept their terms.

Captain Anderson, one of the most prominent figures in the fishermen's strike of last year, was sent as a delegate to the encamped Indians at Chilliwack last week. According to Captain Anderson's own story, he was received in a friendly spirit by the bishop and clergy at Squah rancheree, and held a meetings at which 30 chiefs were present. Anderson says that the chiefs decided that they could not make any money at 12 cents and 10 cents after July, and they decided that they would demand 15 cents, or decline to fish. An agreement was drawn up to this effect and duly signed according to the Indian fashion. Mr. Anderson says that the Indians this year had declined to follow Agent Devlin's advice, in fact the Indians as well as the missionaries were with him, and he had no opposition. He further made the statement that some of the Indian chiefs said that the whites need not bother about the Japs, that they would look after them.

Indian Agent Devlin said when spoken to regarding the references to himself, that he was not interfering with the Indians in the salmon fishing in any shape or form. He was letting them take their own course without an attempt to guide them. Certain instructions he had received had been the reason of his taking this course. Last year he had been tireless in his exertions to keep the Indians out of the trouble, and it was through his efforts that the conduct of the Indians last season had been so exemplary under most trying circumstances. This year his time would not come to act unless violence was threatened, and then it would be seen whose advice the Indians would follow. His influence with the Indians was as potent for good as it had ever been, and he did not fear that his advice would not be taken by those whom it was his constant care to watch over, look after, and shield from harm in the districts over which he had jurisdiction.

The following is the copy of the agreement:

"We the undersigned chiefs of the province of British Columbia, of the districts of New Westminster, Sechelt, Squamish, and other places, do agree not to fish sockeye salmon for less than 15 cents a fish the present season, and we will not go to the canneries until the price is settled with the Fishermen's union."

U. S. AGRICULTURE.

Shows a Decline in Acreage Compared With Last Year.

Washington, June 10.—Preliminary reports of the spring wheat acreage indicate a reduction of about 1,200,000 acres, or 6.4 per cent. Of the states reporting 10,000 acres or upwards in spring wheat, 8 report an increase aggregating about 34,000 acres, and 12 a decrease of about 1,235,000. There is an increase in acreage of 10 per cent. in New Mexico, 7 in Nevada, 4 in Arizona, 3 in Michigan, 2 in Montana and Utah, 1 in Wyoming and Washington, while in Iowa there is a decrease of 13 per cent, Oregon 8, Kansas 7, Wisconsin and Minnesota 6, Illinois, Nebraska, South Dakota and California 5, Idaho 4, Colorado 2. The acreage in oats is smaller than the acreage harvested last year by 3.6 per cent. The acreage reported as on barley is 1.2 per cent. smaller than the area harvested last year. The acreage under rye shows a reduction of 1.6 per cent. from that harvested last year. In Pennsylvania the area is reported the same as last year, while in New York there is a shrinkage of 4 per cent. The average condition of rye is 93.9, as compared with 87.6 on June 1, 1900.

TRAP SHOOTERS.

U. S. Team Does Not Make Such High Scores as Expected.

London, June 10.—The American trapshooters had some practise today, as a preliminary to tomorrow's contest, but they found the conditions so different to those that they had been accustomed to that the shooting of the whole team has been much below its United States average. All the shooting here is downhill. The targets are thrown far and fast and at a higher elevation than in the United States. The rise also is 18 yards, as against 16 in the United States. The scores at the practice were very disappointing. Chauncy Powers, of Decatur, Ill., broke 20 straight in the first event, and then dropped more than half in the last 20. Fred. Gilbert, of Spirit Lake, Iowa, was the only other man to break 20 straight. E. H. Tripp, Indianapolis, Ind., took 19. Some of the "Old Reliables" fell down quite seriously, but while they scored low, the Englishmen scored lower. The Americans are confident of winning.

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Captures For Last Ten Days

Kitchener's Report of Progress in Gathering in Prisoners and Supplies.

No Truth in Report That Germany Intends to Interfere in Africa.

London, June 10.—Lord Kitchener in a despatch from Pretoria under today's date, says:

"The number of Boers killed, imprisoned or surrendered during the last month totalled 2,640.

"From June 1 to June 10 twenty-six Boers were killed, four wounded, 409 were made prisoners, and 33 surrendered, 651 rifles, 115,550 rounds of ammunition, 120 wagons and 4,000 horses were captured."

The Sun hears that Mrs. Botha will start Wednesday for The Hague, where Mr. Kruger has been summoned to attend a conference of the Boer agents in Europe and the United States to consider the reports Mrs. Botha has brought from her husband, in which he advises Mr. Kruger, as the constitutional head of the Transvaal, to sue for peace on the best terms obtainable.

Berlin, June 10.—The Kleins Journal today prints a despatch from The Hague saying that Queen Wilhelmina's recent visit here was meant to obtain Emperor William's consent to end the South African war, both the Sweibund and Dreibund being willing to do so, through The Hague arbitration court, and that the Emperor consented, and the court began work thereon. The despatch has created a sensation here.

The Associated Press has obtained the following foreign office statement, which is authorized by Count von Buelow the imperial chancellor: "Neither Great Britain, France nor Russia ever approached Germany to participate in any action, aiming at ending the South African war.

"Germany has all along distinguished between offering her service and intervention. To render her good office would be possible under certain circumstances, viz If both parties to the war should request it; but it will be remembered that Great Britain joined The Hague conference only on conditions that the Boer states were excluded.

"There is no doubt that Mr. Kruger, who is a serious statesman, came to Europe to obtain the good offices of several of the powers to end the war. But there is also no doubt that Great Britain does not want their good offices. At least it is true that since the South African war began Great Britain has never, either verbally or in writing, confidentially, or officially, broached such an idea.

"It is quite possible that the Boer side has now formally asked The Hague arbitration court to lend its aid to end the war somehow, and that the court has had a session regarding the matter. But that, of course, is entirely different from any serious step to end the war."

The Hague, June 10.—Mr. Kruger and Dr. Leyds arrived here today. They drove from the railroad station at Hilversum Junction in a closed carriage, and are staying at the residence of Mr. Wolmarans, one of the Boers peace envoys.

PROSPECTIVE LYNCHING.

Negro Arrested in Georgia Under Suspicion of Murder.

Atlanta, Ga., June 10.—Bessie Jackson adopted daughter of R. C. Flower, a dairyman at Poplar Springs, was found near her home today with her throat cut. A negro boy has been arrested on suspicion. At the coroner's inquest Dr. J. H. Green testified that the girl had been assaulted. There was no direct testimony implicating the negro, whose name is Gasthro English. There is considerable excitement in the neighborhood, and the negro will be brought into the city this evening.

INVALIDED.

Three Canadian Soldiers Return Home From South Africa.

Halifax, June 10.—The Furness liner Loyalist arrived from London today bringing a company of Royal Engineers on the way to Bermuda to look after Boer prisoners expected at Hamilton shortly. The steamer also brought three members of the Canadian contingents, who were invalided to England, namely, Corporal Livergrove and Privates Dougall and Hammon.

CHINESE INDEMNITY.

United States Declines to Enter Joint Guarantee of Powers.

Washington, June 10.—The government has formally communicated to the foreign powers the impossibility of joining in a joint guarantee for the payment of the Chinese indemnity. The difficulties in the way of such an arrangement are set forth in the communication, particularly those relating to the constitutional restrictions on the President in making a joint guarantee of this character.

In view of the determination of the United States not to be a party to a joint guarantee, there is anxiety shown in diplomatic circles as to the outcome on the question of indemnities. One view is that the majority of the powers being favorable to a joint guarantee will execute their joint instrument and thereafter carry on a concert of their own. In that event, it is said the United States would arrange directly with China as to the United States portion of the indemnity. The representatives of most of the European powers do not believe that a resort to the Hague tribunal as proposed by the United States will be acceptable to their governments.

Now is a good time to begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the medicine that cleanses the blood and clears the complexion.

IMPERIAL LIMITED.

First of C. P. R. Summer Service Leaves Montreal.

Montreal, June 10.—(Special)—The first Imperial Limited left this morning at 9:30 with 250 passengers.

HON. A. S. HARDY.

Serious Condition of Former Premier of Ontario.

Toronto, June 10.—(Special.)—Hon. Arthur Sturgis Hardy, former premier of Ontario, is very dangerously ill and it is feared he will not survive the night.

LABOUCHERE'S MOTIONS.

Tries to Cut Down Civil Lists But Badly Outvoted.

London, June 10.—The House of Commons today voted down by a large majority a series of amendments to the civil list and crown bill proposed by Mr. Labouchere and others, among which was a motion to reduce the grant of £470,000 to £415,000.

RIOTS IN BELFAST.

Lancers Required Eventually to Disperse The Mobs.

Belfast, June 10.—The rioting which began here yesterday, in an attack upon the Corpus Christi procession, was renewed tonight when the crowd vigorously stoned the police. The latter were finally compelled to invoke military aid, and the rioters were dispersed by lancers.

B. C. GRADUATES.

Students From This Province Graduate as Doctors.

Montreal, June 10.—The final results in the medical faculty examinations at McGill were announced on Saturday. The following Pacific Coast students graduated: A. L. Kendall, Vancouver; A. D. Morgan, Nanaimo; W. E. Newcombe, Vancouver and L. H. Redon, Victoria.

BESANT AND BUCHANAN GONE

Two of the Brightest Men in World of Letters Are Dead.

London, June 10.—Sir Walter Besant, the novelist, died yesterday at his residence in Hampstead after a fortnight's illness, from influenza.

He was to have attended the Atlantic union dinner tonight, and to propose the toast to "English Speaking Communities."

Sir Walter Besant was born at Portsmouth in 1838, and graduated with honors at Cambridge. He was intended for the church, but abandoned this career, and for a time was professor in the Royal College at Mauritius. He soon returned to England, and in 1863 produced his first work, "Studies in Early French Poetry." He brought out some other works, and in 1871 entered into partnership with Mr. James Rice, when he began that series of novels that made their names so famous with millions of readers. Mr. Besant wrote also under his own name many works, one perhaps of the most famous being "All Sorts and Conditions of Men," which led to the establishment of the People's Palace in the East End of London. "The World Went Very Well Then," "Dorothy Foster" and a host of other novels remain as his work, and he has also written some more serious books such as the "Rise of the British Empire," published in 1897. Latterly Sir Walter Besant had interested himself in the scheme for celebrating the millenary of Alfred the Great.

London, June 10.—Robt. Williams Buchanan, poet and prose writer, is dead.

Robert Williams Buchanan was born at Caverswall, Staffordshire, in August, 1841, his father, Robert Buchanan, being noted as a missionary and journalist. He was educated at the University of Glasgow, and his first work "Undertones," appeared in 1862. It was followed by many works. A versatile writer, he was equally at home in poetry, prose, or the drama in all of which he earned distinction. One of his plays, "Joseph's Sweetheart," published in 1888, ran for eight months. His first novel, "The Shadow of the Sword," published in 1876 is known to everybody, and number of his other works prose and verse, are familiar to the general public.

St. John, June 10.—(Special.)—Mrs. Zachariah Chipman, mother of Lady Tilley, died in St. Stephen on Saturday. She was born in Wolfville, N. S.

Picton, N. S., June 10.—Canon Spencer died suddenly today.

MINERS ENTOMBED.

Explosion in Colliery at Port Royal, Pennsylvania.

Port Royal, Pa., June 10.—The Pittsburg Coal and Coke company shaft No. 2, at this place, is again on fire.

It is thought that the fire started from an explosion, and that six men were in the mine at the time of the explosion. They are: Jack Peoples, Tony Stickles, Frank Davenport, Daly, Lawrence, Sotler, and John Stakes. Stakes and Sotler were not near the place in which the explosion occurred, and upon the arrival of a rescue party they were quickly brought to the surface, after being nearly overcome by afterdamp. They told the rescue party that four other men were entombed. About 7 o'clock Superintendent William McCue, of West Newton, general superintendent of this district, Dennis Wortley, and several other bosses, with about twenty men, went down shaft No. 1, which is just opposite on the Baltimore and Ohio side of the river, and have not been since heard from. Two more explosions were heard. All sorts of plans have been suggested for the rescue of the men. Some talk of turning the river into the mines, but many are opposed to this idea for fear of drowning the miners.

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Bridge By-Law Introduced

Provides for Borrowing $60.000 to Build Steel Bridge at Point Ellice.

Gas Company Makes Offer to Light Civic Buildings—Grant to Riflemen.

The regular weekly meeting of the city council was held last night. The most important item of business was the introduction, by Ald. Beckwith, of a by-law to provide for the building of a permanent steel bridge at Point Ellice.

A communication from the Victoria Gas company, offering inducements to the city to use gas for lighting the city buildings, was taken by Ald. Brydon as an indication that the city was in a fair way to secure cheap lights.

A proposition to vote $150 towards defraying the expenses of British Columbia's representatives on the Bisley team caused a good deal of discussion, but was finally recommended.

His Worship, Mayor Hayward, Ald. Kinsman, Williams, Cameron, Brydon, Beckwith, Stewart, Yates, Cooley and Hall were present. The city solicitor and the city engineer were in attendance.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The Victoria Gas company wrote as follows:

To the Mayor and Council, Corporation City of Victoria:

Gentlemen: Noticing that the question of lighting the municipal buildings has been reopened, by the consideration of the offer made to the city council by the Tramway company, after the council had practically decided on the score of economy to light the municipal buildings themselves, now the Victoria Gas Light Co., Ltd., are prepared to supply the corporation with gas for illuminating purposes at the rate of 75c. per thousand cubic feet.

We beg to point out for your serious consideration the great economy the above offer contains. The city, by adopting incandescent gas burners for lighting their various buildings, will obtain 60 c. p. lights at a cost of one-quarter of a cent per hour for each lamp, as compared with one-half of a cent per hour for a 16 c. p. electric lamp, or practically incandescent gas lighting will give you four times the light at one-half the cost of electricity.

Although street lighting has not been mentioned, if the council so desire, this company can place figures before you, based on the 75c. rate for gas, by adopting which, the city could obtain a considerable economy over the present system of street lighting, and would give the greatest satisfaction to the citizens, owing to the greater diffusive power and steadiness of incandescent gas lighting over electric arc lighting.

Yours truly,
VICTORIA GAS CO., LTD.
F. H. Hewlings, Supt.

Referred to electric light committee.

From Frank A. McKenzie, advertising agent for the British Columbia Agricultural association, pointing out the advantages of advertising in the official prize list of the exhibition, and quoting rates. Referred to finance committee.

D. D. McConnon, secretary of the Fifth Regiment Rifle association, asking for a grant towards the expenses of the Bisley team.

On motion of Ald. Beckwith, it was resolved to recommend a grant of $150 to be divided equally among the four members of the team going from British Columbia.

Ald. Brydon said the provincial government should provide funds. He did not approve of the indiscriminate voting of funds to all kinds of objects, while many public works were so greatly needed.

Ald. Yates and Ald. Kinsman supported the motion.

Ald. Beckwith explained that the provincial government made an annual grant to the Provincial Rifle association, but not sufficient to cover the expenses.

From John Anderson, asking connection with the water system for his premises on Duchess street. Referred to water committee.

Jones, Crane & Co., complaining that payment of auctioneers licenses were not being enforced. Referred to the city collector for report.

J. Piercy & Co., re flags for Royal reception. Laid on the table for one week.

The water commissioner reported on certain requests for connection with water system, and advising that the prospective revenue would not justify the outlay.

Ald. Williams, seconded by Ald. Hall, moved that the communication be referred back to the commissioner with instructions to put in the connections if funds were available.

Ald. Beckwith said he understood the custom was to extend the system in localities where the most revenue could be secured.

Ald. Brydon said the case was just in line with his objection to voting funds to the riflemen. Here were citizens who wanted water, and had a right to be furnished with it.

Ald. Yates moved that the matter be referred to the finance committee.

Ald. Cameron believed there were no funds available.

Ald. Hall seconded Ald. Yates' amendment, which was carried.

From the purchasing agent, re tenders for sewer pipe. Resolved that the time for receiving tenders be extended for two days.

REPORTS.

The electric light committee reported as follows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in Council Assembled:

Gentlemen: Your Electric Light committee having considered the undermentioned subject, beg to report as follows:

That as the wire inspector has tendered his resignation, your committee before recommending that it be accepted, would ask that the inspector be requested to furnish the council with the record work, also a detail return of fees collected as per sections 36 and 44 of the Electric Wiring By-law.

THOMAS A. BRYDON,
W. G. CAMERON,
R. T. WILLIAMS.

The finance committee, recommending payment of accounts aggregating $9,141.79. Adopted.

PETITIONS.

An anonymous letter was received, complaining of a public nuisance at Spring Ridge. It was decided that if the complainant signed his name to his communication it would be considered.

Residents of the north side of Cadboro Bay road, asking for a surface drain. Referred to streets and sewers committee.

COURT OF REVISION.

A motion appointing Mayor Hayward, Ald. Yates, Cooley, Kinsman and Hall to act as a court of revision, was adopted.

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

Ald. Beckwith's by-law to provide for raising $60,000 to build a steel bridge at Point Ellice was introduced and read a first and second time, and considered clause by clause in committee of the whole. Progress was reported, the by-law to be recommitted at a meeting to be held tonight.

MENZIES STREET WIDENING.

The Menzies street improvement by-law was passed on motion of Ald. Cooley.

The council then adjourned.

BUTCHERS STRIKE.

Oakland, June 10.—Between 300 and 400 butchers, meat choppers and carvers struck today. The only meat to be secured was at shops where non-union men were employed, or where the proprietors were willing to cut it. The trouble is between the men and the wholesalers at the stock yards, who refused to display union cards.

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SPORTING NEWS

FOURTH MEMBER.

Another Victorian to Go to Bisley on Canadian Team—Word Received Yesterday.

A message was received yesterday by Sergt.-Major McDougall, of the Fifth Regiment, notifying him that he had been chosen as a member of the Bisley team, one of those who had previously decided to go having dropped out at the last moment, and the Victorian being the next on the list. He will leave on Thursday with Sergt.-Major Richardson and Sergt. Rodley for the East. Gunner Fleming, the other member of the team, left this morning, as he wishes to visit friends at Fernie en route. The Canadian team, of which they are members, sail from Quebec about the 20th of this month. The four Victorians are the only members of the team from west of Ontario, and as they are all good shots and can shoot in a team, British Columbia will be heard from at the big shoot of the N. R. A.

NAVY AND ARMY.

On Saturday afternoon, the Navy met the R. A. gunners in a cricket match at the Canteen grounds, and after an interesting game, the soldiers succumbed to their opponents' superior batting. Mr. Sewell, of the Navy, who made 103 runs against the Fifth Regiment the other day, was even more successful in this match, as he scored 108 runs. Mr. Sewell's batting was magnificent, knocking the bowling all over the field. One ball he sent into the sea, and another he lost in the grounds of the Sailors' Rest. Mr. Wilson, of the Navy, ably seconded his efforts, hitting one ball from the north wicket, clean over the photographer's gallery on the south side of the car track.

B. C.'S GOLD PRODUCTION

Total Output For Eight Years as Shown by Gold Pyramid.

In describing the golden pyramid recently set up in the mineral museum, the figures given by the Colonist were those representing the output of placer, or alluvial gold, and did not represent the total gold production of British Columbia.

The following are the correct figures, showing the production of placer and lode gold for eight years:

PLACER GOLD.		Total.
1893		$ 356,131
1894		405,516
1895		481,683
1896		544,026
1897		513,520
1898		634,340
1899		1,344,900
1900		1,278,724
LODE GOLD.		
1893	$ 23,404	$ 379,535
1894	125,014	530,530
1895	785,271	1,226,954
1896	1,244,180	1,788,206
1897	2,122,820	2,636,340
1898	2,201,217	2,835,563
1899	2,857,573	4,202,473
1900	3,453,381	4,732,105
Grand Total		$18,380,706

BELONG TO CANADA.

Chilliwack, June 10.—(Special.)—The most intense feeling has been engendered in Chilliwack over the recent claim jumping on the boundary line in the Mt. Baker mining district. There are but two hotels in the place, and the jumpers and the jumped have had to eat, sleep, and glare at each other in at close quarters through the long wet days since the United States survey party announced that the boundary line was 3,480 feet south of the observation post which had been reckoned as the boundary line for three years. The correct line pushes the rich Anderson properties and the Seattle owned Golden Chariot and Gold Star half way over the line. As soon as these facts were known claim jumpers sallied forth from Chilliwack and restaked all the mineral lands close to the line on both sides, and deliberately squatted on the boundary, starting a town which they called Boundary City. Mr. Saviers, superintendent of the Golden Chariot and Gold Star split in half by the new survey, has received letters from members of the provincial legislature and from E. V. Bodwell giving it as their opinion that the original locators of the properties now declared in British Columbia, but staked as United States territory, will be protected by Canada, as in the similar cases of Rossland and Atlin, and that they will be only required to register their claims over again and work them under British Columbia laws. All work has been stopped on the boundary, and it is suggested by those who have had claims jumped, that it is to the interest of British Columbia to have the matter settled, as large sums of money appropriated to work the mines now split in halves have been withdrawn until it has been learned what British Columbia is going to do about it. The district is reported very rich. The Lone Jack mine on the Washington side has an immense quantity of ore, partly free milling in sight. This mine was recently sold for $350,000 cash. The only difficulty is that of access, and in time this difficulty will be overcome. The large amount of mineral lands pushed into British territory will help trade in Chilliwack, for supplies must come from here.

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PERSONAL.

Hon. Jas. Dunsmuir left yesterday morning for a trip over the E & N, and to visit the mines of Extension and Alexandra.

N. P. Shaw and E. E. Welch returned on the Rosalie yesterday from the Sound.

C. A. Semlin, formerly premier, is in the city from the interior, on his way to the Buffalo exhibition.

Detective N. J. Raymer and Thomas Embleton, delegates from Rossland to the meeting of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., which meets in Nanaimo today, spent Sunday and Monday in the city.

Capt. A. A. Sears came down from the Mainland on the Yosemite yesterday.

Rev. Elliott S. Rowe and Mrs. Rowe returned last evening from Vancouver.

Archdeacon Pentreath of Vancouver, is in the city. He will officiate at the services at St. Barnabas church this evening.

Miss Ida Chambers of Olympia, Wash., is in the city visiting Mrs. Chambers of the Gorge Road.

J. D. Conway of Chemainus, is a guest at the Victoria.

Kechisuburo Yendo, a botanist of the Imperial University of Tokio, who arrived from the Japanese capital on the steamer Kinshiu Maru, will proceed north to Port Renfrew, where he will join the scientific party at the botanical station.

A. Warren of Mount Sicker, is a guest at the Victoria.

C. D. Blackwood of Winnipeg is at the Victoria.

Capt. D. Elmore, pilot of the N. Y. K. line, J. M. Studley, U. S. agent of the line, H. M. Parry and F. P. Low of Seattle, are among the recent arrivals at the Victoria.

Joseph Martin, M. P. P. of Vancouver, is a guest at the Vernon.

F. E. Cooper of Grand Forks is at the Vernon.

J. H. and O. H. Glass of Ladon, are guests at the Vernon.

A. D. Dodds, of Vancouver, is among the recent arrivals at the Vernon.

F. Carter-Cotton of Vancouver is a guest at the Driard.

C. S. Darling of Seattle, is among the arrivals at the Driard.

James Rolph, the well known shipping man of San Francisco, is a guest at the Driard.

C. H. McCrady, representing a Brockville tannery, is in the city on a hide buying trip. He is registered at the Dominion.

Mrs. Taylor of Revelstoke, is a guest at the Dominion.

W. Price, manager of the Scott Iron Works is a guest at the New England.

W. W. Beldoe and wife, of Seattle, are guests at the Driard.

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BORN.

COPITHORNE—At Vancouver, on June 8th, the wife of George F. Corthorne, of a son.

MARRIED.

COPLEY—GRAHAM—In this city, on June 5th, William Copley, formerly of Nevada, U. S. A., and Mary Graham formerly of Chesley, England.

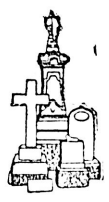
GARBUTT—BRUNO—At Seattle, on 10th inst., Jessie Bruno, daughter of late Madam Heller of Victoria, to Joseph W. Garbutt, of Seattle, Wash.

DIED.

O'BRIEN—At the family residence, No. 48 Cadboro Bay road, on the 9th instant, Mary Ann, relict of the late William O'Brien, a native of Albany, New York, aged 67 years and 7 months.

The funeral will take place from the residence as above on Wednesday morning at 9 a. m., and at the Roman Catholic Cathedral at 9:30.

Friends will please accept this intimation.



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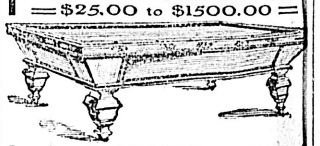

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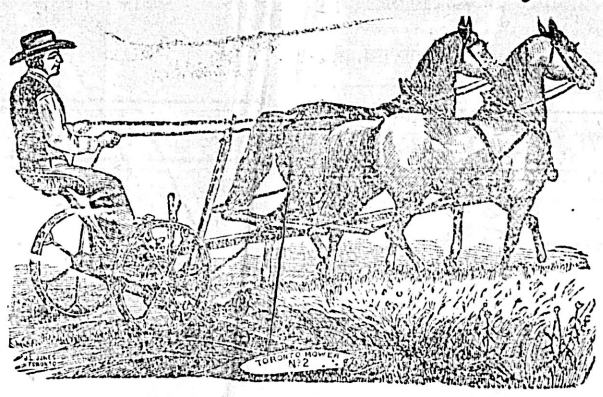

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REQUISITION FOR PUBLIC MEETING

HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR AND OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

We, the undersigned citizens and ratepayers, desire that you will call a public meeting at an early date, for the purpose of making all necessary arrangements in connection with the visit to this city of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, in so far as the action of the city is concerned, and to such other steps as the meeting may deem advisable and proper.

(Signed by)
H. DALLAS HELMCKEN.
And 101 Others.

Victoria, June 5th, 1901.

Gentlemen,—I have much pleasure in acceding to your request and appoint Friday, the 7th inst., at 8 p. m., in the City Hall, as the time and place of the meeting, and respectfully request the attendance of the citizens therein.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
Mayor.

City Hall, B. C., June 8th, 1901.

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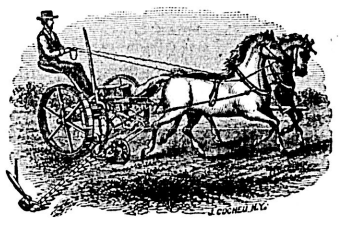

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Dated at Victoria, 16th May, 1901.

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The next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners will be held in the Police Court, City Hall, on Wednesday next, the 12th instant, at 2:30 in the afternoon.

By Order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 8th, 1901.

Large Oriental Liners Coming

Nippon Yusen Kaisha Adds New Steamers to Victoria-Yokohama Line.

Semi-Monthly Service Inaugurated With Arrival of the Kinshiu Maru.

Steamer Kinshiu Maru of the N. Y. K. line, which arrived from the Orient yesterday morning, is the first vessel running under the reorganized schedule of the Japanese line, by which its steamers are to give a fortnightly instead of a monthly service as formerly between Chinese and Japanese ports and Victoria and Seattle. The Kinshiu, which left Yokohama on May 28, had a good passage, and brought an average cargo. She had in all 1,800 tons of general cargo for overland points, composed of the usual shipments of tea, matting, silk, and Chinese and Japanese merchandise. For Victoria she had about 100 tons, 3,300 packages, which were landed at the Outer wharf. In her saloon she brought four passengers, Mrs. O'Shea, wife of the editor and owner of the Shanghai Gazette, and daughter, bound to Ireland, and Mr. Smith, of Smith & Baker, tea, silk and general merchants of Kobe, who was bound through, and K. Endo, a noted Japanese botanist who left the steamer here. Mr. Endo is bound to the newly established botanical station at Port Renfrew, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, where a large party of Minneapolis savants are expected to arrive shortly to study and classify the flora of the island coast. There were 14 steerage passengers for Victoria, four being Hindus, three of them former soldiers of the Indian army, and the remainder Chinese. There were 69 steerage passengers for United States points. The Kinshiu after landing her freight here, left for Seattle at 4 p. m.

The next steamer of this line to come to Victoria, is the four-masted steamer Kamakura Maru, due here on the 27th. She is a fine steamer of six thousand tons, larger than the Tosa Maru, which was formerly the largest steamer to come into this port. The Kamakura has never been to Victoria, but when this line was first organized she made one trip to Seattle. The Kamakura will be followed by the new steamer Kaga Maru, in command of which is Captain Eckstrand, formerly of the Riojun Maru. The Kaga, which was launched a short time ago, is a fine modern steamer, with two masts and a tonnage of about 6,000. She will make her maiden voyage when coming here, being due to arrive on July 11. The Nagasaki Press says that during her trial trip the greatest satisfaction was expressed throughout at all and everything appertaining to the construction of the vessel. The cabins, which accommodate 36 first class passengers, are beautifully fitted up and very comfortably furnished, while the saloon is luxuriously appointed. Many were the felicitations extended to the veteran master, Capt. Eckstrand, on his command.

Punctually at 2 o'clock the order to let go was given, and soon the Kaga Maru swung round and steamed slowly out of the harbor. Once outside a stiff wind was encountered, but notwithstanding this a speed of about 15 knots under ordinary pressure was attained. This was considered very satisfactory.

The Riojun will follow the Kaga. She has been in collision with another vessel of the line, the Matsuyama Maru, formerly on this line. The Riojun was uninjured by the collision, which occurred at Yokosuka on the 18th, but the Matsuyama had five plates broken on her bow. The Idzumi will follow the Riojun and then the Kinshiu will return. The Idzumi will be replaced after her next trip by another new 6,000 ton vessel, and thus the N. Y. K. fleet will be vastly improved.

As can be seen with the addition of these new liners the port of Victoria will have by far the most steamers making this their port of call than any other port on the Pacific, for all the C. P. R. liners, a fleet of five, the N. P. liners, N. Y. K. liners and other vessels make this their first and last port of call.

Commenting on the race between the C. P. R. steamer Tartar and Pacific mail steamer City of Peking, which was won by the Tartar, the San Francisco Bulletin pays the following tribute to the route to this continent from the far east via Victoria:

"The British steamer Tartar made the run from Yokohama to Vancouver in just 14 days, including a detention of six hours in quarantine. The City of Peking left Yokohama for San Francisco three days ahead of the Tartar and arriving one day later, making a difference of four days. But the Tartar came straight across, while the City of Peking made a detour to Honolulu, where she discharged and received freight. Where time is a consideration with Oriental travellers and shippers, vessels that make the most direct route from point to point will have the preference. In order that San Francisco may stand on a more even keel with Northern ports, one or more steamers every month should cut Honolulu. The northern is the shortest and has the cheapest fuel as a further advantage. When the big steamers now building for the Pacific Mail company are placed on the route, and the fires in their furnaces are fed with California oil, and Honolulu is left off the schedule, things will be much more evenly balanced than now on the China route."

NOT SO FORTUNATE.

Borealis Catch Thought to be Smaller Than Reported—Behring Sea Fleet.

The Victoria Sealing company are in a quandary regarding the recent news received from their agent in Japan by cable. The message is mixed, and it is not thought to mean that the Borealis has made a catch of 1,882 skins, as has been stated, but that the schooner had that many skins on board when she arrived at Hakodate, being the catch of other schooners of the Japan fleet as well as her own. It was arranged when the fleet went to Japan that one of their number was to come home bringing the catch of others, and the Borealis is understood to be coming home. Therefore it is reasoned that she is bringing the catch of some of the other vessels.

According to mail advices from the sealing fleet in Japan, the season had been poor up till the letters were written on May 5, the date of the last advices, and the top liner then was the schooner Carlotta G. Cox, which up to May 5 had a catch of 339 skins. The other vessels' catches were not given, but it was stated that they ranged from the number taken by the Carlotta G. Cox all the way down to 70. A month elapsed from that time until the date of the cable sent from Yokohama regarding the Borealis, and as that month was during the height of the sealing season the schooners were expected with good weather to make fair catches, the sealers are unable to fathom the message conveyed by cable. None will admit of belief that the Borealis has taken 1,882 skins herself, and it is known that the 1,882 skins do not represent the total catch of the fleet for the vessels were known to have more skins than that by May 5. It is generally thought that the schooner has her own catch, and that of one at least, if not more, of the other schooners. She is thought to be now on her way home. The other vessels will continue to hunt off the Japan coast and then proceed to the Copper islands.

The Behring Sea fleet are now getting ready to sail. Six have hauled into Spratt's and Leiser's wharves in the upper harbor, and at the big sealer's wharf at Point Ellice a flotilla is loading provisions and general stores for the coming voyage. Truck loads of flour and provisions are being landed on the wharves, and the schooners are filling their lockers. The sails are being attended to, and in fact, all is being made ready for the coming Behring Sea cruise of the fleet. A number of the schooners will sail about the end of this week or the beginning of next, and all the vessels of the fleet are expected to have spread their white wings and be off to the Vancouver Island coast villages to pick up their Indian hunters before the end of next week. Two vessels other than the fleet which hunted off the coast are to be sent out, the Carrie C. W., Capt. D. G. Macaulay, and the Fawn, Capt. Moorhouse. There is to be no other changes in the fleet than the addition of these schooners, other than in the change of masters on a couple. Capt. St. Clair, of the Beatrice, is to be transferred to the Diana, as Capt. Nelson of that vessel has left her having abandoned the sealing business.

ISLANDER SAILS THIS MORNING.

Takes Cattle North—Encountered Bar at Wrangel Narrows Last Trip.

Steamer Islander will sail for Skagway at 8 o'clock this morning, carrying all the freight she can handle, and an average number of passengers, not a full complement however, for travel is not as large now that the rates have been advanced as during the war. From here the steamer will take close on 200 tons of general supplies for Dawson and other Yukon and northern points. At Vancouver she will load 59 head of cattle, and 120 steers, as well as a small amount of other general freight for the north. The passengers who will sail on the steamer from here are: A. M. Bannerman, a well known Klondike mining operator; W. McKeown, Mrs. and Miss Molyneux, M. Williams and Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Trower, Miss T. Earle, and Mrs. Marymount.

Steamer Islander on her last trip to Skagway had an experience which goes to prove the oft-noted statement that the bar at the northern end of the Wrangel Narrows is a shifting one. The Islander became fast in the mud of this bar on her last trip at dead low water, and remainded there until the water rose a couple of hours later, being uninjured by her encounter with the bar, and proving that it is a shifting menace, for in the position where she became fast the chart shows deep water, and where the bar is shown on the charts there is deep water.

COTTAGE CITY SAILS.

Excursion Voyages for This Season Inaugurated—Many Passengers Go North.

Steamer Cottage City, which left for Skagway yesterday morning, had a large number of passengers, 120 in all, for Yukon and Alaskan points. With her sailing the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. inaugurated their excursion trips for the 1901 season. Temporarily the Cottage City is taking the place of the company's new steamship Spokane, which is being constructed with special reference to the Alaska excursion traffic. The Spokane would have been finished and in commission by this time, but for the machinists' strike, which will delay her completion probably another month. Heretofore the Queen now on the Southern California run, has handled the Alaska excursion business of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. All of the points of interest of Southeastern Alaska are to be visited by the Cottage City. They include such places of picturesque natural beauty as Muir glacier, the rugged mountain scenery of the Southern Alaska coast and Baranoff island, the seat of the ancient capital of the famous Northland. Many objects of attraction and interest are to be witnessed in the Indian villages so rich with legendary lore, and the mammoth fish canneries dotting the mainland coast from Fort Wrangel to Icy strait and Killisnoo.

Among the passengers from here by the steamer were John Richards, who is returning to his stores in the Cassiar district at the Stikine head; D. A. Bonner and A. Allison, for Sitka, and E. F. Gatenburg and C. Blythman gor Sitka.

BOSCOWITZ ARRIVES.

Brings Salmon from Skeena—She Sails North Again Tonight.

Steamer Boscowitz arrived from Naas and way ports on Sunday, and having left the various ports of call prior to the sailing of the Tees, she brought no later news than that vessel. Her passengers were not many, a timber cruiser, H. Mackay, who arrived from Queen Charlotte, and three Chinese, forming her total complement. Included in her freight was a shipment of 200 cases of new salmon from Peter Harman's cannery, for Simon Leiser. The Boscowitz will sail north again tonight. The Tees will sail north again on Thursday evening.

AT THE SHIPYARDS.

Victoria Dry-Docked—Grant Leaves the Ways—Other Repair Work.

Steamer Victoria, which arrived from San Francisco on Sunday morning and entered the dry dock on Sunday, came out last night and proceeded to Ladysmith to load coal for San Francisco. While in the dock she was cleaned, painted and generally overhauled. She was also surveyed and inspected. After discharging her coal cargo at San Francisco the Victoria is to proceed to Koyo, California, to load a cargo of railroad ties, part of a total amount of thirteen million, to be shipped from California and Puget Sound mills to Ecuador, for use in the new government railway being built from Quito to Guayaquil.

The United States cutter Grant, which has been on the Star ways in the upper harbor since her recent stranding in Saanich Inlet, came out of the dock on Sunday and proceeded to Port Townsend to outfit for her northern cruise to the canneries and Alaska. The Grant had one new plate placed on her hull and a number of patches were placed over the broken and cracked plates.

The steamer Ramona, the stern wheeler which had her boilers wrecked by explosion recently on the Fraser river is at the Victoria Machinery Depot wharves, where she is receiving new boilers, which have been built for her by the local iron works. She is to be operated on the Fraser when the work is completed by a new company recently formed in New Westminster.

The frame of the new Dominion government fisheries protection steamer, which is being built by the Victoria Machinery Depot, is about completed and the mechanics of the company are at work on the machinery.

At the yards of W. Turpel, after some scows, which were being caulked, were placed in the water, the tugs Constance and Mystery were hauled out yesterday afternoon.

MARINE NOTES.

Although no orders have been received as yet to that effect, it is understood that the steamer Amur, which left Vancouver for Skagway on Saturday, may be tied up after her return from the North. The Hating is expected to be completed in a few days, and will be ready to leave, following the Islander north. Her name is to be changed, it is understood, about the time of the arrival of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and she will be rechristened at that time, perhaps by the Duchess of Cornwall. The Hating is to be a Vancouver steamer, making her home port there, and not coming to Victoria, the passengers and freight being sent down from here by the Charmer.

British ship Greta is on berth at Cardiff to load coal for this port.

British ship Dumfrieshire sailed from Callao on June 5 for the Royal Roads.

Steamer Mowera is due tomorrow from Honolulu, Brisbane and Sydney.

The C. P. R. bulletin announces that the Corinthian, of the Beaver line, passed Fame Point at 3 p.m. on the 8th instant.

The bark J. D. Peters arrived at Port Angeles on Sunday en route to Ladysmith, where she is to load a cargo of coal for St. Michael.

The Chilian bark Sulitelma was another arriva at the port across the Straits. She was towed from Port Angeles to Vancouver, where she is to load lumber, by the Lorne.

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Finance and Commerce

MINING EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(Supplied by A. W. More & Co., Ltd.)

Toronto, June 10.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:

	Asked.	Bid.
Black Tail	10½	9
Canadian G. F. S.	6	5
Cariboo McKinney	39	37
Cariboo Hydraulic	$1.65	$1.50
Centre Star	41½	39
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	$82	$78
California	5	2½
Deer Trail Con	2¾	2¾
Golden Star	5½	4
Giant	4	3
Iron Mask	26	24
Granby	51	45
Mountain Lion	30	21
Noble Five	6	2½
North Star	65	58
Olive	6½	4½
Payne	32	29
Republic	10⅝	10¾
Virtue	11	9
War Eagle Con	21	19
White Bear	2¼	
Winnipeg	5	2
Wonderful	5	3½

TORONTO SALES.

Whi Bear, 500 at 2.
Fairview, 3,000 at 1¾, 7,000 at 1⅞.
Payne, 2,500 at 30½.
Republic, 1,500 at 10¾.

ROSSLAND SALES.

Giant, 2,000 at 3½.
Priness Maud, 5,000 at 2¼.
Rambler Cariboo, 1,000 at 30, 1,000 at 30, 3,000 at 32¼.
Centre Star, 2,000 at 41¼, 1,000 at 40.
Canon McKinney, 500 at 41.
Homestake, 500 at 13½.
Can. Homestake, 3,000, 60 days at 15c, 1 cent down; 3,000, 20 days, at 14c., 1 cent down.

DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(B. B. Williams & Co., Stock Brokers.)

New York, June 9.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am Sugar	144	144	140¾	141¾
Am Tobacco	143	143	140¾	141⅞
Peo's Gas	115¼	115⅞	113	115⅞
C. I. & St. P.	166¼	166½	163¾	165½
Manhattan	118⅛	119	117⅞	119
C. B. I. & P.	168½	169	165	168
R. T.	80¼	80⅞	79½	80¾
N. S. F. pfd	102¾	102¾	101	102¾
S. Rail com	58¾	59¼	56⅞	59¼
B. O.	107¼	108¼	106½	108¼
L. N.	109¼	109¾	108¼	109½
U. P. com	106¾	107⅜	105¼	108⅜
Con Tobacco	69½	70⅛	69¼	70¼
U.S. Steel	49	49½	47⅞	49½
T. C. & I.				59
Am S. F. com	85¼	86½	84⅞	86¾

Money loaning at 3½ per cent.

ON WALL STREET.

New York, June 10.—There was some liquidation in the stock market today induced by Saturday's bank statement, as was foreshadowed by the drop in prices on Saturday after the statement appeared. The bear part, which sold stocks at that time, continued their efforts to get prices lower today and extend their profits. A number of developments helped them in this purpose. The week's stock exchange settlement is somewhat dreaded, although assurances is given that the shorts in Northern Pacific are fully prepared to meet the decision today of the London Stock Exchange committee for general purposes in ending the moratorium granted to the Northern Pacific shorts, after the corner developed in the stocks. The persistent heaviness of consols in the face of the growing ease of money in London, gives rise to some dread of a secret development in diplomatic or international government policy.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, June 10.—The following were the closing bids on the Stock Exchange today:

American Tobacco	141¾
American Sugar	141½
Anaconda	48⅝
Atchison	86⅝
Atchison pfd	102¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	80¾
C. P. R.	104¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	49¾
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	195¾
Chicago Gas	115
Rhode Island	168
St. Paul	165¼
Continental Tobacco	70
Continental Tobacco pfd	123⅞
Consolidated Gas	220¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	100⅞
C. C. C. & St. L.	85
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	234
Delaware, South Shore & Atlantic	115¾
Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic pfd	99½
General Electric	215
Jersey Central	161
Louisville & Nashville	109¼
Manhattan	118⅞
Missouri Pacific	118
Metropolitan Traction	171¾
New York Central	154¾
Erie	43⅞
Erie pfd	70
Ohio & Western	37½
Pacific Mail	42
Pressed Steel	44
Reading	45¼
Pullman	208¼
Southern Railway	33¼
Southern Railway pfd	86⅞
Union Pacific	107¼
Union Pacific pfd	98¼
Wabash	24
Wabash pfd	43¼
Western Union	94
Great Northern	185¾
United States Steel	49¼
United States Steel Pfd	98¼
C. P. R. in London	106¼
Commercial Cable	188¼

Money on call, steady at 2½ to 3½ per cent; last loan, 2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3¾ and 4½ per cent; sterling exchange, steady at $4.88¼ and $4.88¾ for demand, and at $4.85¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.86 and $4.89; commercial bills, $4.84¾ and $4.85¼; bar silver, 59¾; Mexican dollars, 48; government bonds, steady.

"EYE SORES."

To the Editor.

Sir,—While so much is heard about the necessity of making our city as attractive as possible in order to make it favorably known to the travelling public, would it not be well to look around for the purpose of improving veritable eye-sores in our midst? I could cite quite a few examples in and around the most central parts of the city—for instance—that building adjoining the Pritchard House on Government street, bounded on the north side by the Savoy theatre. Here, broken windows, decaying mortar and brickwork, allied to absence of an attempt at paint, make an unsightly picture which cannot fail to impress visitors with disgust. In many communities the officials have the power to compel the property owners to put their premises in a satisfactory condition. I appeal to you, sir, that it is time some action was taken to bring about an improvement. It's the small things which can combine to give Victoria a "black eye," and if the city authorities have no power to cause some change for the better, a law should at once be put in force giving them that power. There are many other obnoxious spots, almost as centrally situated, which the addition of a little paint, etc., would vastly improve. What is the use of your valuable suggestions re improvements made time and time again in your columns, if absentee and penurious owners are allowed to disfigure our chief thoroughfares with hovels?

"CHEIL."

Victoria, B. C., June 10, 1901.

Jesse Moore "AA" whiskey is used at all the principal hospitals in the United States. Why is it?

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"So do I, dearest," she replied, "but you'll take me with you when you buy it, won't you? Men have such queer tastes in rings."—Leslie's Weekly.

In the summer time His Holiness the Pope usually spends the entire day in the Leonine Tower in the Vatican gardens. At 10 in the evening a light supper is eaten, after which the newspapers of the day are read to him. He seldom retires before 12 or 1 o'clock, working often long after all others about him have gone to rest, and then rarely lying in bed more than four or five hours.—London Leader.

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"9. Pre-emptors of Crown lands, whether in arrears in payment of instalments of purchase money or not, who at the time of coming into force of this Act have obtained certificates of Improvement, or who shall have obtained certificates of Improvement within twelve months thereafter, shall on conforming with the provisions of the "Land Act," except as hereby altered, be entitled to obtain Crown grants of their pre-emption claims upon completing payments of purchase money at the rate of seventy-five cents per acre, and Crown grant fees, which payments may be made as follows:

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Twenty-five cents per acre on or before the 30th day of June, 1902.

And the remaining twenty-five cents per acre on or before the 31st day of December, 1902, and without any further payment of interest or arrears of interest.

W. S. GORE.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 1st June, 1901.

NOTICE.

"Canadian Contingent Exemption Acts."

All returned South African Volunteers, who have not already done so, are requested to communicate with the undersigned without delay, as also the next of kin of those deceased or of those who have not yet returned to British Columbia, or any other persons interested in mining properties held by such volunteers. The latest date possible for receiving applications for exemption under the above Acts will be the 1st of July, proximo.

RICHARD McBRIDE,
Minister of Mines.
Department of Mines, Victoria, B. C.,

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Mount Baker Wagon Road.

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Mount Baker Wagon Road," will be received by the undersigned up to and including Saturday, the 15th June, for the construction of a wagon road from the end of the present wagon road at Huck's Ranch, on the right bank of the Chilliwack river, to a point above the mouth of Slessi creek.

Specifications and forms of contract may be seen at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., at the Government Agent's Office, New Westminster, B. C., at the office of R. J. Skinner, Government Timber Inspector, Vancouver, B. C., and at the office of E. A. Wilmot, C. E., Chilliwack, B. C., on and after Wednesday, the 29th inst.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit, made payable to the undersigned, for the sum of one thousand ($1,000) dollars, as security for the due fulfilment of the contract, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied and signed with the actual signatures of the tenderers.

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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 27th May, 1901.

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In the ordinary course of events the time cannot be far distant when the present issue of postage stamps of Great Britain and her colonies and dependencies will be replaced by new ones, bearing the portraits of King Edward VII. and his Royal Consort, Queen Alexandra. Such being the case, it has occurred to the Colonist that an excellent opportunity is afforded to the British people throughout the world to signalize the event by adopting a uniform "Empire" stamp, which shall be used universally wherever the Union Jack flies. This might be done without sacrificing the identity of any of the countries interested and still be made very effective. Thus, Canada could have her stamps in any design desired, but with the distinctive words "British Empire" printed on them, and so with the other colonies.

Some of our readers may look upon this as a small matter, but, we submit, that the adoption of such a system would do a great deal of good in conveying an idea of the solidarity of the British Empire to everyone who posted a letter within its limits, and that it would be an excellent lesson in geography to many who have vague notions concerning the extent and importance of the great world power to which they bear allegiance.

LOOKING TO CANADA.

The interesting article from the Oregonian, which we printed a few days ago, describing in a general way the resources of Canada and expressing a warm appreciation of the future greatness of the Dominion, is only one of many similar articles which have lately appeared in the United States press. Our neighbors have recently been paying a very great deal of attention to our country. This is a new departure on their part. When about fifteen years ago, Erastus Wiman published his notable articles, entitled, "The Greater Half of the Continent," in which some of the facts bearing upon the vast resources of Canada were set out, the statements were accepted with a very great deal of reserve. About the year 1889 the present writer, at the request of the Century Magazine, prepared a paper treating in a general way with the same subject, and especially with the commercial importance to the United States of Canadian future business, and the editor of the Magazine submitted the paper to the chief of the United States Bureau of Statistics. The latter declined to endorse it, saying that he would not like to say it was greatly exaggerated, but such was his impression. As a matter of fact, the article was an extremely moderate statement of the case, and would be regarded now, in the light of what has more recently been learned about the Dominion, as exceedingly meagre. How great the change has been since then such an article as that of the Oregonian eloquently testifies, for it is far stronger in favor of Canada than that which the editor of the Century Magazine published with hesitation a dozen or more years ago.

The fact of the matter is that the people of the United States are beginning to feel crowded. They ought not to be, for as compared with European countries, the republic is not thickly populated. But in land, as in everything else, our neighbors are most extravagant. They are exceedingly wasteful. They require more acres of land per head of the population than any other people in the world. It is the same in respect to everything else, and now having reached the limit of what at one time seemed limitless possibilities of expansion, they are turning their eyes northward to discover new fields for investment and enterprise. They have been, as we have said, slow to recognize the potentialities of Canada, but the American people, when once they admit anything, never stop half way. They are altogether likely to become ardent advocates of what they formerly condemned, and now that they have begun to realize what Canada is like, they will be just as likely as not to exceed Canadians themselves in advocating the claims of the country as a field of enterprise. An immense amount of capital has been accumulated in the United States during recent years, and it is seeking an outlet. There is a very good prospect that Canada investments may become as popular in New York as West African mining stocks are at present in London, and as Kaffirs were and will be again. Capitalists in the United States understand better than those of Great Britain the conditions under which money is invested in Canada. They are not greatly different to those with which they are accustomed in their own country. We are much inclined to regard the great interest which the press of the United States is taking in Canada as the precursor of an equal interest in this country on the part of the investing public south of the 49th parallel.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

(Eighth Article.)

We have described the Central Mainland as that part of British Columbia lying between the Canadian Pacific railway and the 54th parallel north of latitude, but in speaking of the Southern Mainland we have already referred to a portion of the district, and therefore in what is now said no particulars will be given of that portion of the New Westminster Mining Division, which lies north of the Fraser. This leaves to be considered an area about 220 miles in length from north to south, and 400 miles in breadth from east to west. A portion of it was formerly known as New Caledonia, and has also been described as the Great Central Plateau. It is mountainous on its eastern and western borders, and along the south there are many high elevations, but on the whole it is much less broken and elevated than the Southern Mainland. It embraces many extensive areas over which the differences of altitude are not great. It contains by far the greater portion of the Fraser river, with its many tributaries. The Columbia swings through its southeasterly section in a great bend, which is one of the geographical phenomena of the world. Its coast line is indented by many deep channels, into which flow rivers from the interior. It contains numerous lakes, some of them of considerable magnitude. Chilco is probably the largest of them. It is situated in the southwest and has a water service of upwards of 300 square miles. Other lakes are only a little smaller. In many places it is magnificently timbered with Douglas fir, spruce and cedar. Its river valleys contains fine farming land, although in some sections towards the south irrigation is necessary. There are very extensive cattle ranges. The climate varies with the altitude, and the position as regards the coast, but the snow may be said as a rule to lie in all parts of it during the winter, but the amount of precipitation is not large. The summers are warmer and the winters colder than in the Southern Mainland. Climatic conditions may be described as highly favorable with local variations.

This is the portion of British Columbia from which such great things were anticipated before the discoveries in Kootenay, that is in the Southern Mainland district, diverted attention from it. It has been a source of great wealth to the province and contributed no inconsiderable sum to the aggregate wealth of the world. Its output of placer gold exceeds $50,000,000. The "diggings" of Cariboo were in their day the most famous in the world. It is known to contain many deposits of ores of various kinds, and towards the south something has been done in the way of developing them. There is scarcely room for doubt that the same formations which have proved so productive south of the Canadian Pacific extend to the north of it along the western slope of the Rocky Mountains, and such prospecting as has been done warrants the belief that along the eastern slope of the Coast Range valuable deposits of gold and copper ore will be found. Some valuable finds have been made along the coast and some of them are in process of development. In several localities excellent coal has been found. Placer mining is yet carried on to some extent, but there have been no recent discoveries of an extensive nature. Large hydraulic operations are prosecuted, and others are projected. The mineral output of the whole district last year was about $750,000.

Very large areas remain to be thoroughly explored and prospecting has not as yet been at all exhaustive. The district unquestionably contains the elements of great industrial activity, and among them agriculture and stock raising will assume an important place. The lack of exhaustive surveys makes it impossible to form any definite conclusion as to the extent of the farming land. It is necessarily confined to the lower levels, which means in most cases the river valleys. These are numerous, and some of them are quite extensive. A very much greater area is available for stock raising. It will doubtless be found, as the country is opened up by roads and trails and mining makes farming profitable, that very much land is suitable for crops, which is not now known. This is the experience elsewhere in the Pacific Northwest. It was especially true of the State of Washington, where as settlement has progressed the area of arable land has been found to be very much greater than was originally supposed. The valley of the Nechaco, a tributary of the Fraser flowing into it from the west, has been described as containing a large area of very good farming land, flanked by excellent grazing areas. The elevation is not great, and the region feels the beneficial effects of the warm winds from the Pacific Ocean, which shorten the winters. The Nechaco rises in a lake country lying south of the 54th parallel, and its valley is certain to be the home of a large population.

There are no large towns anywhere in this district, the C. P. R. towns being for the purposes of these articles considered as in the Southern Mainland. Settlement is widely scattered, and in no place is at all dense. In the matter of means of communication, the district is very poorly supplied. The Cariboo road extends from the Canadian Pacific northward through the centre and through the settled portions there are roads and trails. There are no railways. It is only the lack of such means of communication that prevents the district from advancing rapidly in population and wealth. In the next article something will be said on this point.

Seeing that imitation is the sincerest flattery, the Vancouver World ought to take off its hat to the Vancouver Province. The former organized a scheme for giving a free trip to the Pan-American to the most popular school teacher in the Terminal City, and the next day the Province came out with a scheme of substantially the same lines. Rivalry between newspapers is a wholesome thing when it is conducted on legitimate lines, but to a disinterested outsider, this sort of thing appears very absurd. Why could not the Province permit the World to have the benefit of its scheme? Of course the former may plead that not being favorable to monopoly, it was in duty bound to try and take the wind out of its contemporary's sails.

It is said that the Boers want the fighting to stop. Then why do they not stop it? Our forces will never fire another shot if the Boers will only set the example. It is altogether likely that the mission of Mrs. Botha will prove a success, and that the advice of her plucky husband will prevail over the crankiness of Kruger. The surrender of Botha will not necessarily prevent any further bloodshed, for many of the Boers may continue to carry on guerilla tactics, and the foreign mercenaries may be unwilling to abandon their present line of action for one which will leave them high and dry.

The British Columbia government will doubtless see that fair play is accorded those who staked mines in the Mount Baker district, believing that they were in the United States.

The story that Sir Oliver Mowat declined to vacate Government House in Toronto so that it might be used by the Duke of Cornwall and York is hardly credible.

And so there is a chance that we may not see Princess May after all. That will be much regretted, for Her Royal Highness is a very interesting young woman.

The death of Sir Walter Besant and Robert Buchanan removes from the English world of letters two of its brightest ornaments.

And so it was an American engineering party which decided that the International Boundary had been marked too far north.

The resumption of work at the Alexandra mine is good news.

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KAMLOOPS ELECTRIC PLANT

From Kamloops Sentinel.

Two special meetings of the city council were held during the earlier part of the week, at which arrangements have been made for the purchasing of the necessary machinery and supplies for use in the new power house which is to be erected immediately, at a cost of some $4,000. The dynamo, machinery, engines and boilers, etc., are all of the most up-to-date pattern, and will in many ways be far in advance of the present plant. The machinery is costing in the neighborhood of $21,000. The new dynamo, which is of twice the capacity of the old one, is an automatic affair, which when running does away with the necessity of an attendant.

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NELSON GROCERS.

From Nelson Tribune.

The Nelson Retail Grocers' Association was formally organized last evening. The election of officers resulted as follows: H. McPherson, president; George Bell, vice-president; Chris Morrison, secretary; S. L. Lester, treasurer; and J. A. Irving, T. J. Scanlan and S. L. Lester, directors.

All the grocery firms in the city will be included in the association, with the exception of the Hudson's Bay Company but an understanding exists between this company and the association so that it will work in harmony with the association in all things.

INDUCTION.

From Rossland Miner.

The Rev. A. E. Camp, who has been supplying the Trail Presbyterian church for some time past, was on Tuesday evening last duly inducted as pastor by the Presbytery of Kootenay. The church was completely filled by an attentive and appreciative audience. The Rev. J. Millen Robinson, of this city, presided, and preached the induction sermon, Rev. M. D. McKee of Slocan, addressed the minister and Rev. Dr. Wright of Nelson, addressed the people. The various parts of the service were dignified and impressive, and most appropriate for the occasion. A reception was tendered the new pastor by the congregation at the close of the induction service. Rev. Mr. Camp begins his pastorate in Trail under most favorable auspices.

NEW DENVER CLIMATE.

From the Ledge.

According to its population more babies are born in New Denver than any town of equal size on the continent, a fact which speaks volumes for its inhabitants. In addition to this infants seldom die in the burg, which proves that New Denver mothers either know how to keep death from the cradle, or else the climate is so healthy that the grim monster is frosted every time it makes a grab for anything with life in it.

NELSON FREIGHT.

From Nelson Miner.

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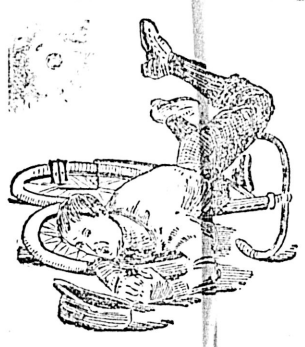

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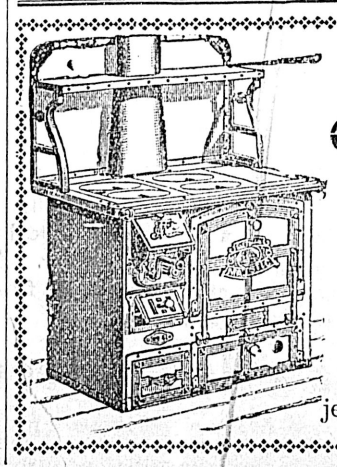

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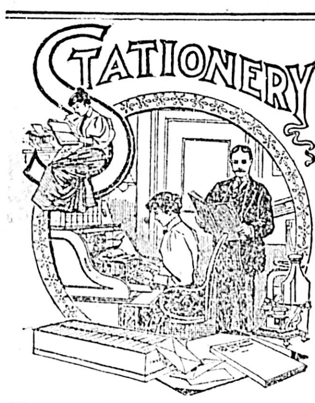

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The Canadian Pacific Railway are running excursions to Buffalo Exposition on the first and third Tuesdays in every month, good for thirty days round trip, at $86. *

Garden Tools at Cheapside. *

Try the new White Label Blue Ribbon Tea. *

Lawn Mowers at Cheapside. *

Drink "Hondi," purest and best of Ceylon Teas. *

Rubber Hose, Nozzles and Reels at Clarke & Pearson's. *

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For Health and Wealth, dine at the Balmoral, Douglas street. Only the best of everything used. Charges moderate. *

Opposition steamer Rosalie sails at 7.30 p. m daily except Saturday, for Seattle.

Great bargains in Monuments at Stewart's. Several Scotch Granite Monuments just arrived, Copings, etc. Nothing but first-class stock and workmanship. Corner Yates and Blanchard streets. *

Every visitor to the city should drink Kola Tonic Wine and be sure you get the genuine and original, with the trade mark of a bunch of celery on the label, others are imitations.

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The Victoria News Co., stationers and booksellers, offers at very reasonable prices Office Supplies. R. T. Williams, manager, 86 Yates street. *

Annual Picnic.—Arrangements are being perfected for the annual picnic of the Congregational Sunday school, which will be held this year on July 1, as usual, at Cordova bay. This picnic is always looked forward to as one of the events of the season, and the committee will spare no pains to make this year's outing most enjoyable.

Fashion's Fancies

Fashion's changes for this season have added some beautiful things to our already very complete line of men's wear.

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HOSE AND SHIRTS.

well adapted to summer have appeared in very rich abundance, and we have gathered a collection never equalled in this city.

SEA GOWEN.
Douglas Street.

Company Meeting.—A meeting of No. 1 company will be held at the drill hall on Tuesday evening June 11, to discuss arrangements for camp. All members are particularly requested to attend.

Married at Seattle.—The marriage was celebrated at Seattle yesterday of Miss Jessie Bruno, daughter of the late Madame Heller, of this city, and Mr. Joseph W. Garbutt, of Seattle.

New Cook.—The C. P. N. Company have secured for the steamer Charmer the services of Mr. George Parker as chief cook. Mr. Parker was formerly on the Cunard liners and more latterly of the Empress line.

Two Drunks.—There were two drunks in the dock at the city police court yesterday morning. One being a first offender, got off with the minimum fine, $2.50, while the other, an old offender, was fined $7.50.

Sacred Concert.—The Fifth Regiment band gave a sacred concert at Goldstream Sunday afternoon, a record crowd being present. The weather was ideal for an outing, and it was thoroughly enjoyed. The crowd were well handled by the railway company.

False Alarm.—Yesterday morning the fire department had a run to the corner of Vancouver street and Burdette avenue, but when the engines arrived, it was found that a false alarm had been sent in, probably by some mischievous boys. This sort of thing has been very frequent lately, and if the offenders are caught, they will be given a severe lesson.

Congratulatory Letters.—Chief Watson, of the fire brigade, has received several letters from friends, congratulating him upon his recent promotion. One letter is from Cumberland, another from White Horse, and Mr. Richard Hall, M.P.P., sent a congratulatory epistle from Chicago. The letter from White Horse was signed by a large number of ex-Victorians.

New Billiard Tables.—Members of the Pacific Club who enjoy a quiet game of billiards are greatly pleased with the new tables recently purchased to replace two that were rather antiquated. One is a regular sized American carom table and the other for regulation English pool. The tables are good to look at, being made in the latest style of the Brunswick Balke Co.

Children's Services.—The children's services in the Congregational church on Sunday were unusually successful. In the morning the pastor preached a sermon appropriate to the occasion, and in the afternoon the children rendered a programme of songs and recitations. The special collection taken was very gratifying and the church authorities expect to be able to pay off the mortgage on the church property when it falls due this week. The church was liberally supplied with flowers, which were arranged in a very pleasing manner.

Roughly Handled.—Mr. George Carter, the genial assistant of Mr. Norman Hardie, local agent for Messrs. Dodwell & Co., was roughly handled on the company's wharf yesterday, and in an entirely unexpected and novel manner. One of the horses attached to Sehl's furniture van taking a fancy to George, grabbed him by the neck with his teeth and lifted him off his feet. The shrieks of the victim made the animal loose his hold, and George's ponderous form fell to the flooring of the wharf with a thud which shook the rafters. His neck, it is needless to say, is sore, but otherwise he is all right.

Another Window Gone.—The White Pass & Yukon Railway Company have on two occasions lately been the victims of the window-smasher. Their's was one of the windows broken by a soldier who was tired of life in the barracks and wanted to get into jail in the hope that he would be discharged from the army, and on Sunday night another missile found its way through the large plate glass. How it was done is not known, but certain it is the glass and the handsome signs have been destroyed. At the present rate the companies which insure plate glass will look upon Victoria as a poor place in which to take risks.

Trying Again.—Nothing daunted by their former attempts to convict under the clause of the wash house by-law, which prohibits the spouting of water from the mouth onto clothes in laundries, the police have summoned another Celestial to appear in the police court. He made his first appearance yesterday, but in the absence of his counsel, Mr. George E. Powell, the case was remanded until this morning. The plea in these cases in the past has been that the accused was not an employee of the laundry, but just a friend who was washing his own clothes there, and of course he could get any number of his countrymen to swear that this was the case. Unfortunately the by-law only provides against employees of laundries indulging in this filthy habit. Others can do it at pleasure.

Send In Your Entries.—One of the features of the garden fete on Saturday afternoon next at the residence of Senator and Mrs. Macdonald, under the auspices of the ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church, will be a grand bicycle parade. Entries for the parade will close Wednesday evening and may be made to either Miss Macdonald, Armadale, or Miss Cridge, Carr street. The committee have heard that several ladies and gentlemen are anxious to take part, but hesitate doing so on account of the rule making fancy costume compulsory. This condition is withdrawn forthwith, and riders may appear in ordinary dress notwithstanding it will be very much to the advantage of those who do "fall in" in gorgeous and fancy array, because of the handsome prizes that have been promised. Competent judges are being appointed, whose decisions will no doubt be sustained by popular vote. A prize awaits the best mounted character; another, the rider who is declared winner of the comic class; a third for children's prize—this will be an incentive to the little ones to show grown up people what they can do—and yet another for the best decorated wheel. There is no entrance fee for this part of the programme, which is scheduled to open at 4 o'clock so as to allow plenty of time for other attractions.

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MATR[ICU]LATION EXAMINATION

Several [Vari]ous Students Seek Admi[ssion] to McGill University.

Examina[tions] for matriculation in arts to M[cGill] University, began yesterday in the ... room of St. Andrew's Presbyter[ian Ch]urch, under the supervision of ... Jessie Clay.

The foll[owing] students are writing for admiss[ion to] the university:

Victoria ... school—Grace Atkinson, John ...tes, Chas. C. Galloway, Beat[rice] ...thleen Loat, Lilian Mitchell ... Lydia Nute, Olive Sinclair Pres... ...lay Gertrude Tully.

Victoria ...giate school—Alexander R. Rober... Ge[orge] H. Dart, Darrell P. Hanin...

Forest ...d, New Westminster—Douglas ...vingston.

Wester[n] ...h school, Detroit—Geo. W. Hall.

The pr[ogram]me for the examinations is as foll[ows]:

[MON]DAY, JUNE 10.

A.M.—...h grammar, 9 to 10:30; English ...on and composition, 10:30 to 12.

P.M.—...ra, 2 to 3:30; French, 3:30 to ...

[TUE]SDAY, JUNE 11.

A.M.—...metic, 9 to 10:30; British and Ca[nadian] history, 10:30 to 12.

P.M.—...etry, 2 to 4 trigonometry, 4 to 5.

[WED]NESDAY, JUNE 12.

A.M.—...n, 9 to 1.

P.M.—...istry, 2 to 3:30; physics, 3:30 to ...

[THU]RSDAY, JUNE 13.

A.M.—...hematics, Part II (algebra and ...) 9 to 11; English literature, 11 to ...

P.M.—...man, 2 to 4; physical geograph[y] (...siography), 4 to 5:30.

[FR]IDAY, JUNE 14.

A.M.—...eek, 9 to 1.

P.M.—...eliminary geography, 2 to 3; New ...ment history, 3 to 4; writing, 4 to ...

[M]ONDAY, JUNE 17.

A.M.—...otany, 9 to 10:30; physiology and ...e, 10:30 to 12.

P.M.—...rawing, 2 to 5.

[T]UESDAY, JUNE 18.

A.M.—...ptional history, 9 to 10:30; Eng...nguage, 10:30 to 12:30.

P.M.—...ptional arithmetic, 2 to 3:30.

Whe[n the] papers are completed they will [be] forwarded to McGill, where eac[h will] be examined by the professors ha[ving ch]arge of the particular branch to [which] it relates. Each student is ass[igned] a number, so that the examiner[s can no]t identify the work of any particu[lar st]udent. After the papers have bee[n ca]refully examined and points aw[arded] according to merit, the results w[ill be a]nnounced.

[DE]ATHS AND FUNERALS.

M[rs. O']Brien, a Well Known Resident [o]f the City, Passed Away on Sunday.

[The d]eath occurred at the family re[sidence], 48 Cadboro Bay road, on Sun[day mo]rning, of Mrs. M. A. O'Brien, re[lict of] the late William O'Brien, who [arrive]d [in] New York in 1877. he de... came to Victoria sixteen years [ago wi]th her family, her sisters, Mrs. Burnes and the late Mrs Madi... [ha]ving resided here for many years [previou]sly. A brother, J. C. McCloy, [lives] at Rivers Inlet. Mrs. O'Brien [was a] native of Albany, N.Y., and was ... [ye]ars of age. She had been ill for [some] time, and while her death was not [ex]pected, it nevertheless caused general regret. Two daughters, Mrs. L. ...uer, of New York, and Mrs. T. L. ...s, of this city, and three sons, ...s O'Brien, of Portland, William ...ien of this city, and George O'Brien [of] San Francisco, survive her. The [fune]ral will take place at 9 o'clock this [mor]ning from the family residence, and [9]:30 from the R. C. cathedral.

[T]he funeral of the late John C. Mc...ll, a well known expressman, who [died] on Saturday night, will take place [this] morning at 8:45 from his late resi[den]ce, View street, and later at the R. [C.] cathedral. The funeral will be under [the] auspices of Seghers Council, No. 85, [Y.] M. I. The deceased was 50 years of [a]ge.

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TODAY IN CHAMBERS.

Objections to Protest Against Messrs. Prior and Earle to Be Heard.

There was no business in Chambers yesterday, but the following matters are set down for hearing today:

Fairful et al v. Prior et al—Application to fix date of hearing of preliminary objections. This is the second step in the proceedings under the petition of Andrew Fairful, Thos. Dunn and Morgan G. Phipps, against the election of Lt.-Col. Prior and Mr. Thos. Earle to the House of Commons. Mr. Hunter for petitioners; Mr. Cassidy for respondents.

B. C. Corporation v. Higgins—Application to take an account. Mr. Pooley for plaintiff.

Consolidated Railway Company v. City of Victoria, and Yorkshire Guarantee & Securities Corporation, garnishees—Judgment for costs was secured by the city in 1896 against the Consolidated Railway Company, and it is now sought to secure payment by garnisheeing money alleged to be due the plaintiffs. Mr. Wootton for plaintiffs; Mr. Mason for defendants.

Ward v. Bank of B. N. A.—Application to review the taxation of the defendant's bill of costs as to disallowance of certain witness fees. Mr. Taylor for plaintiff.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Supreme court today a motion will be heard in the case of Dalby v. Casca, M. & T. Co., to set aside the service of the writ. Mr. Walls for plaintiff; Mr. Martin for defendant.

APPELLATE COURT.

Wensky vs. Canadian Development company, an appeal from a decision of the Yukon Territorial court was argued yesterday forenoon before the full court, Mr. Marshall for plaintiff, Mr. Lawson for defendants. At the conclusion of the arguments Their Lordships reserved judgment. In the afternoon Manley vs. Collom, an appeal from a judgment of Mr. Justice Walkem, was proceeded with.

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BUSINESS POINTERS.

Auction Sale.—Jones, Crane & Co. are bringing under the hammer at their mart, 73 Yates street, 2 p.m. today, in addition to their usual furniture sale, a splendid Peterborough canoe, and a very choice selection of nursery plants. The latter ought to attract such as delight to brighten their homes at small cost.

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Activity at Mount Sicker

Mts. Sicker and Brenton Mines Company Preparing for Development.

Buildings Going Up—Treasury Stock in Demand—Rich Ore.

The management of the Mounts Sicker and Brenton Mines Company are losing no time in getting all preliminary work done in preparation for a season of active development. Already a new dining hall and kitchen have been completed. The bunk house on the Copper Canyon claim has been remodelled, and an office and storehouse is being put up as rapidly as possible. All the lumber for these buildings was supplied by the Lenora saw mill, which is quite close to their site.

The government agent visited the property last week and took measurements, etc., for a bridge over the Chemainus river, near the mouth of the tunnel on the Copper Canyon, and it is expected that construction work will begin very shortly. This bridge will be a great convenience, not only to the Mounts Sicker and Brenton mines Company, but to prospectors and the public generally.

Mr. W. A. Dier, vice-president of the company, received a despatch from New York on Saturday, stating that parties there were negotiating for 50,000 shares of treasury stock. Another deal which Mr. Dier reports is a 30-days' option on 40,000 shares.

A fine lot of rich samples of Copper Canyon ore is on exhibition in the window of Messrs. Pellew-Harvey, Bryant & Gilman, in the McGregor block, View street. These specimens were taken out of the mine last Saturday, and represent a fair average of the run of the vein.

NAVAL NOTES.

Projected Movements of North Pacific Fleet During June.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Warspite (flag) to proceed to Vancouver about 27th inst., for Dominion Day.

Icarus proceeds about 23rd inst. to Comox for prize firing with heavy guns, and afterwards goes on to Vancouver.

Condor proceeds out of harbor on 12th inst. for steam trial and quarterly target practice; returns to Esquimalt on Friday, 14th; accompanies Warspite to Vancouver.

Amphion and Egeria at Comox.

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Ladies' Light Fawn Box Cloth Jacket, inlaid dotted White Silk Collar, tight fitting, lined with blue surah silk. Regular value $15.00. SPECIAL WEDNESDAY **$7.50**

$16.00 Jackets for $10.50
Ladies' Light Grey Semi Fitting Jacket, lined with rich rose colored taffeta silk, inlaid white corded silk collar. Regular value $16.00. SPECIAL WEDNESDAY.......... **$10.50**

$16.00 Jackets for $10.50
Ladies' Cadet Blue Stylish Jacket, semi fitting with inlaid white corded silk collar, lined with rich figured Satin. Regular value $16.00. SPECIAL WEDNESDAY **$10.50**

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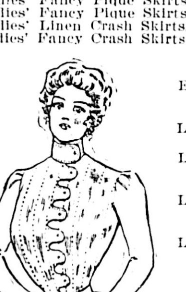

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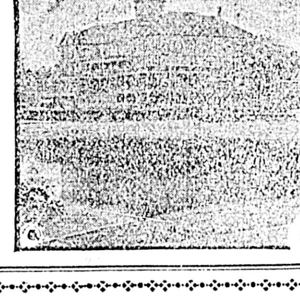

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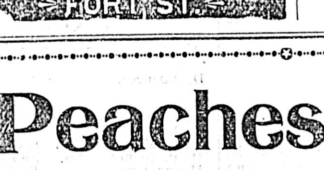

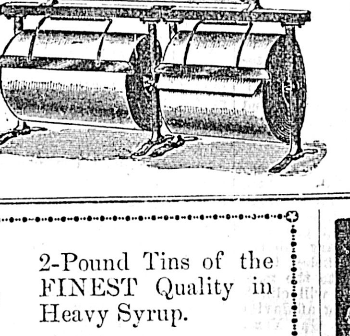

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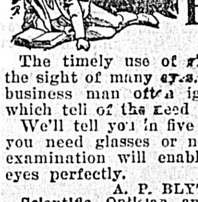

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Shipping Disaster

Junk Capsizes on China Coast Causing Loss of Many Lives.

Japanese to Adopt Khaki for Their Army—Newspapers Suspended.

News was brought by the steamer Kinshiu Maru, which arrived this morning from the Orient, that a Chinese passenger boat from Chusan, bound to Ningpu, was upset in a heavy squall in the Eastern Passage, close to Tiger Island, on May 8, and out of the fifty-nine passengers and nine crew there were only two of the crew and seven passengers saved, making a total of fifty-nine lost. Some ten or twelve boats put off to their assistance, but were too late to render much help in saving life. There have been about thirty bodies brought to Chinhai to be buried, says a Ningpo despatch, and the sight on one of the jetties was very saddening, men, women, and children all laid in rows so that they could be recognized by their relatives and friends. The junk, after capsizing, drifted away to the northward. It is stated that the greater number of the passengers met their fate in the cabin, they being unable to get out.

The Japanese authorities have decided to change their present military uniform throughout all branches of the army. Though the existing uniforms are finely made, yet for practical purposes they are very inconvenient, especially the white clothing, which, in addition to its expense, requires to be frequently washed. The campaign in North China has shown the many disadvantages of white clothing, where much trouble was experienced in obtaining the necessary water for washing purposes. On future occasions the latter will be supplied with the new uniform, which will be either of a grey or khaki color.

News was brought by the Kinshiu that Geo. M. Schilling, of New York, has arrived in Kobe on his self imposed task of walking round the world, having now completed some twenty-three thousand miles. Mr. Schilling says he is doing this for a wager, the conditions of the wager, made in 1897, being that he should walk round the whole world in the space of four years, and without begging, borrowing or spending a cent, should return to New York with $5,000 in cash. He started out on August 3, 1897, attired in a suit made from newspapers and absolutely penniless, exchanging his paper suit for boots and clothing when arriving the same day at Yonkers. Travelling right across the continent to the Pacific coast, he took ship at Victoria for Australia. Thence he proceeded to New Zealand, and from New Zealand to India. He attempted to cross China, entering at Bhamo last January, but after penetrating some two hundred miles into the empire, he took the advice of a missionary and returned to the coast. Later he visited Hongkong and Shanghai, the latter with the intention of walking thence to Pekin, but was told that the country was still in too unsettled a condition to permit this to be done.

Landing at Nagasaki in the early part of May, Mr. Schilling proceeded on foot to Moji, and crossing the straits to Tokuyama, walked to Kobe in eight days.

Several Tokio and Yokohama Japanese papers, including the Maenchi, Hochi and Yomouri, have been suspended for publishing the manifesto of the Shakai Minshu-to, or Japanese Socialistic party, whose object is to practise socialism in Japan. The government has taken exception to the society and suspended papers which published their manifesto. The Yomouri defied the authorities and steps were being taken when the steamer left to close its doors.

Count Watanabe, Japanese minister of finance, is arranging for a visit to the United States.

THE ROYAL NAVY LEAGUE.

Victoria Branch to Hold a Public Meeting on Tuesday of Next Week.

The British Columbia branch of the Royal Navy League will hold a public meeting in Pioneer hall, on Tuesday, 18th instant, at 8 o'clock p.m. Sir Henri Joly, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, Hon. J. H. Turner and other prominent men, have intimated their intention to attend and address the meeting, which will be president over by Sir Henry P. P. Crease, president of the branch.

A committee of the league waited upon Admiral Bickford on Saturday afternoon, and, although his official duties do not permit his taking an active part in the work of the league, he expressed himself as being in hearty sympathy with its objects. Admiral Bickford made the suggestion that Victoria, with its sealing fleet and other local shipping, would be a good point at which to establish a naval reserve.

The members of the league are looking forward to Tuesday night's meeting to give an impetus to the movement which they have initiated, and hope to see a large attendance.

KEEPING CHINESE OUT.

Inspector Cooksley Speaks of Work on Lower Fraser.

Deputy Immigration Inspector, W. T. Cooksley, who was in town yesterday (Tuesday), says the Westminster Columbian, reports that during the last week he has succeeded in turning back three more Chinamen, who were making their way toward the Fraser river canneries, from United States territory. He had been on the watch for four, and at 3 o'clock in the morning last Thursday he received the word he had been waiting for and caught three out of the four as they crossed from Point Roberts into Canada on the Chewassin Trail, near Port Guichon. They were Low Poy, alias China Sam, Chin Tin, and Wan Chung, and were duly escorted back to the frontier next day, when the United States officers were on hand to take them to the point of deportation for China. This makes 85 Orientals, which have been turned back, and, though doubtless some have succeeded in evading the officers, there is no doubt many more have been deterred from making the attempt.

Mr. Cooksley has gone to Seattle to give evidence in the case of Gat Yean, one of the men he turned back some weeks ago. Gat Yean is fighting against being deported to China, and has succeeded in obtaining temporary liberty on a habeas corpus. Mr. Cooksley, however, will be able to testify to the man having been in Canada, and will clinch his own evidence by producing affidavits from several people who saw Gat Yean over here.

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GARNISHEED THE MONEY.

Amount Sent to Winnipeg to Help Leightner Has Gone.

Mr. C. E. Lang, of Winnipeg, has been appointed successor to George Leightner, as agent for the Northern Pacific Railway and Express Companies in this city. Mr. Lang was the company's agent at Portage la Prairie for a time and afterwards travelling passenger agent and later contracting freight agent at Winnipeg, so that he is thoroughly conversant with the workings of a railway office. He left the Northern Pacific a short time ago to enter the employ of the Canadian Northern at Winnipeg, and the fact that the Northern Pacific railway is again after his services shows the esteem he is held in by his old employers.

Leightner is expected to arrive from Winnipeg this evening in charge of Detective Palmer. In the connection with the efforts to settle with the companies, an incident has happened that will require a little explanation. As will be remembered, Leightner telegraphed to friends in Victoria to send him $400. This was sent, but on Saturday evening a telegram came from Leightner saying he was coming to the Coast, and advising his friends to recall the money order they had sent for the amount. They sent a wire recalling the order, but received a despatch stating that the amount had been garnisheed, but by whom the wire did not say. It is not possible that Leightner could have incurred a debt of that amount during his stay in Winnipeg, and there is no way to account for the action, unless one of the companies took it. Messrs. Bodwell & Duff have been retained by the friends of Leightner and Mr. George E. Powell is representing the companies.

THE LOST TEN TRIBES

Interesting Lecture at Christadelphian Meeting on Sunday Evening.

"The Lost Ten Tribes of Israel Not the British Nation," was the subject of a lecture by the Christadelphians in their meeting room in the A. O. U. W. building on Sunday evening last. In the course of his remarks the lecturer said that while the question of the identity of the ten tribes of Israel was interesting because of the historical and ethnological study involved, the real interest attaching to the Anglo-Israelite theory, with which he was specially dealing, was the claim put forward that the British people were enjoying the fulfilment of God's promised blessings to Israel, and that the everlasting covenant to Abraham was the birthright of the British nation. This aspect of the question, it was claimed, was the incentive and objective of the theory. If Jehovah designed that Israel should always remain under the curses of the old covenant, under which certainly they were thrust out of His sight, and scattered among the nations, to become a scoff and a bye-word, there would be little desire on the part of any one to claim kinship with a people so contemned.

It was admitted by the leaders of the Anglo-Israelite theory, that profane history was not in itself conclusive of their claims, but that such testimony was corroborative of Bible testimony, upon which latter they mainly depend. The object of the lecturer was, therefore, to show the incompatibility of the theory with the Bible's historical and prophetical statements. He likened the outside so-called "corroborative" evidence to a romantic story in fiction. It was impossible to credit, from a purely historical point of view, that a people, who had lost all knowledge of their identity, and had no incentive to national cohesion, should pass through the peoples of Europe and finally settle themselves in the British Isles, and yet leave behind them in Europe peoples, as far as human knowledge and discernment can make out, of the same stock, name, physique, etc. Such would be possible no doubt in the providence of God, but as a purely historical fact, it cannot be credited. The Jews, as we see them today, it was contended, are all that remains of the ancient nation of Israel. In them, no doubt, were the remnant of all the tribes. When the ten tribes were carried captive to Assyria, it is not at all likely that the whole of them were deported. It was not the habit of conquerors so to do. Besides many would flee to the mountains and fastness of the country, and so escape their would-be captors, while others would seek refuge among their brethera of Judah. As to those who were carried off, many stragglers would find their way back to the land of their fathers; but the bulk, no doubt, of the nation remained in Assyria for many centuries, if we believe the testimony of Josephus, who says they were there in his day. The operation of the curses of the covenant under which both houses of Israel went into captivity, would naturally mark them out, in the eyes of the nations as one people, and in course of time, tribal distinctions were lost, and the term "Jew" became the common designation of the race wherever found.

In dealing with the scriptural history of Israel, special stress was placed upon the distinction between the Abrahamic covenant and the Sinaiatic covenant. The first, it was contended, is styled an everlasting covenant, and was without conditions attached. But the second was provisional and entirely conditional. The first contained absolute blessings to Abraham and his seed; the second contained cursing as well as blessing, and was made operative on the conditions of obedience or disobedience. These two covenants could not operate concurrently. The Abrahamic covenant, it was shown, arched over the conditional covenant, and beyond it, to "the time of the end," when Israel will be gathered from their dispersion and again established in the land promised by the oath of Jehovah to their fathers as a possession in perpetuity, never again to be rooted up. It is when this covenant comes into operation, and when the people are once more in their land as one nation, that all the blessings God has promised them shall be made good. The everlasting and unconditional covenant being still outstanding, Israel must today be under the curses of the Sinaiatic covenant, a fact which precludes the possibility of the nation, or any part of it, occupying a position so powerful and honored as that of Great Britain. According to that covenant they must be a down-trodden, despised and wandering people, dispersed throughout the nations of the earth.

Referring to the distinction between "Judah" and "Israel," so important to the Anglo-Israelite theory, it was contended that too much was made of it. It was but a political distinction, and did not alter the fact that all of the twelve tribes were the children of Jacob (Israel), nor that God's covenant was made with the united house; and, as a consequence, all the tribes, who were equally responsible to the terms of the covenant, and who proved equally rebellious, must together be reaping the sore curses Jehovah promised should come upon them. The subject will be continued next Sunday evening, when many of the more important of the alleged identities which are said to prove that the British nation are the "lost" ten tribes, will be discussed.

Don't start on your journey without putting a bottle of Jesse Moore "AA" in your grip.

Flood Danger Passing Away

Cold Weather In Mountains and Lower Fraser Minimizes Chances of Damage

Water Though Perilously Near the Top of New Dyke Is Subsiding.

The following extracts from a private letter, addressed to Mr. J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, throws some light on the condition of affairs at Chilliwack during last week:

"We have terribly cold weather tonight, mountains have received a fresh covering of snow. I am shivering while I write this brief message.

"I was out today on Camp slough, where there are many promising orchards, chiefly apples, and are well laden with fruit, but I regret to add there is much evidence of anthracnose of quite recent date. There is only one thing for those people to do, that is begin with heavy spraying early in the fall, after having cut and burned all dead branches, then keep on spraying during the winter with double strength bordeaux. I advise this.

"I got a severe wetting today. We had a very unusual thunder storm; the rain came down in torrents. I hear that the Fraser has cut away land at one or two points, and is perilously near the new dyke. Should hot weather succeed this cold spell, which is not unusual, we may be caught yet, but there is an immense volume of water going out now.

"The temperature went down to 42 degrees last night, and we had a slight hail storm. I cannot remember having seen as cold weather in June in this neighborhood.

"There are some 2,000 Indians from all parts of the province congregated here this week, an affair of the Roman Catholic church. I understand they are to produce the Passion Play here this evening. The place is full of curious people, some having come from Spokane. The Harrison house is crowded as never before."

Since the above was written a Colonist reporter visited Chilliwack. He left there on Saturday morning, and at the time of his departure the river was lowering rapidly. Portions of Sumas were flooded, but the people felt satisfied that the danger of a general flood had greatly lessened and if cool weather prevailed for a few days longer no serious damage need be apprehended.

TRANSVAAL STAMPS.

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From Charlottetown (P. E. I.) Guardian.

The first postage stamps issued within he British Empire and bearing the likeness of King Edward will be those now n preparation for the Transvaal. The King is at least much better looking than Kruger, and the Boers will still have the privilege of getting in a "lick" at something British.

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Passengers per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver.

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Mrs. Rowe.	A. D. Blackwood.
J. L. Peacock.	J. G. Harold.
J. Fothar.	W. Stevens.
Mother Teresa.	J. Farich.
Mother Charles.	A. Lawson.
Dr. Wilson.	J. Taylor.
Arch. Pentreath.	Ed. Mann.
Rev. E. S. Rowe.	Mrs. R. May.
J. Beattie.	Col. V. Biscoe.
C. Robson.	J. Cruikshank.
E. Harvey.	Dr. F. T. Stainer.
Yu San.	E. L. Dewdney.
J. Watt.	Col. W. D. Conner.
	G. A. Helson.

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Miss Wilson.	Mrs. Forrister.
Miss Adams.	P. G. Hill.
Dr. C. E. Atwood.	A. S. Ray.
Mrs. Atwood.	Miss D. Fure
Miss Call.	Miss Willy
Mrs. Clapp.	P. Goldstein.
Misses Clapp.	Jno. Renny.
H. C. Goodwin.	R. Epworth.
Miss Munson.	E. L. Rogers.
Miss Owen.	Mrs. Rodgers.
Mrs. Patree.	L. G. Wright.
C. J. Pfefer.	Mrs. Lockwood.
Misses Pfefer.	J. S. Phillips.
Miss Spring.	Mrs. Phillips.
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Mrs. Haloway.	E. Higgingson.
Alfred Hewitt.	Mrs. Higgingson.
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Mrs. Mitchell.	Jno. Holmes.
F. Turner.	Mrs. Holmes.
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E. G. Ferguson.	Capt. Hardy.
L. Martin.	Mrs. Fansen.
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Jno. Haggerty.	Mrs. Ladd.
Mrs. Hawkins.	Ben Phillips.
Miss Thompson.	S. V. Holmes.
Mrs. I. Illingworth.	P. G. Kennedy.
W. E. Fair.	S. L. Mason.

Passengers per steamer Utopia from the Sound.

R. Turner.	Mrs. Chadwick.
Mrs. Berdoe.	Mrs. L. Thompson.
Mrs. Berdo.	Mrs. Walmer.
Miss Walker.	Capt. Stansted.
Miss Corse.	G. Merrick.
Miss Brown.	J. Tober.
Miss Howell.	Mrs. O'Brine.
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R. Nulr.	Ole Carlson.
M. Lenz.	C. Hill.
J. S. Yates.	H. Schultz.
H. S. Smith.	J. Mineberg.
Chas. Wurtelle.	J. Adams.
E. Ulin.	Geo. Smith.
Mrs. Tyler.	Geo. Vincent.

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Mrs. Rogers.	Miss Powers.
Mrs. Thompson.	Master Powers.
Miss Thompson.	Victor White.
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Chas. Thompson.	G. A. Troun.
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Miss Spencer.	H. H. Swaney.
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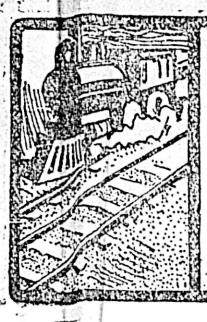
SABLE ISLAND.

Attempts to Stop Further Washing Away of "Graveyard of the Atlantic."

Attempts are being made by the Dominion government to render Sable Island, off the coast of Nova Scotia, less dangerous to shipping. Sable Island is sometimes called the "graveyard of the Atlantic," so numerous have been the ships and lives lost on its shifting sands. The Halifax Herald has the following in regard to a tree-planting expedition which Deputy Minister Gourdeau of the marine department recently made to the island:

The Dominion government is trying an experiment on Sable Island. It is known that that great bank of sand that constitutes such a menace to navigators is being gradually washed away by the action of ocean currents, waves and wind. Col. Gourdeau, Canadian deputy minister of marine, when he was in France a year ago, heard that on the coast of Brittany a species of shrub had been found valuable there in a sandy region in preventing the changing of the sand and in preserving the topography of the country. On his report the government ordered 80,000 of those shrubs from France, to be set out on Sable Island in the hope of stopping the encroachment of the elements there and preventing the eventual disappearance of what remains of the island. The deputy minister returned from Sable Island yesterday, after a week spent in superintending the planting of the shrubs. They are temporarily "heeled in" near the central station. The island is now reduced to 28 miles in length by one mile in width—not much more than half its size a century ago. The government, acting on the principal that as a great shoal it would be more dangerous than as the present Sable Island, decided on trying to preserve it by planting many small trees to bind the sand and keep it intact. If these shrubs succeed on the island, more will be imported. The first house of refuge was built by the government on the west end in 1803. To-day the spot where it stood is 11 or 12 miles out in the ocean, west of the present island.



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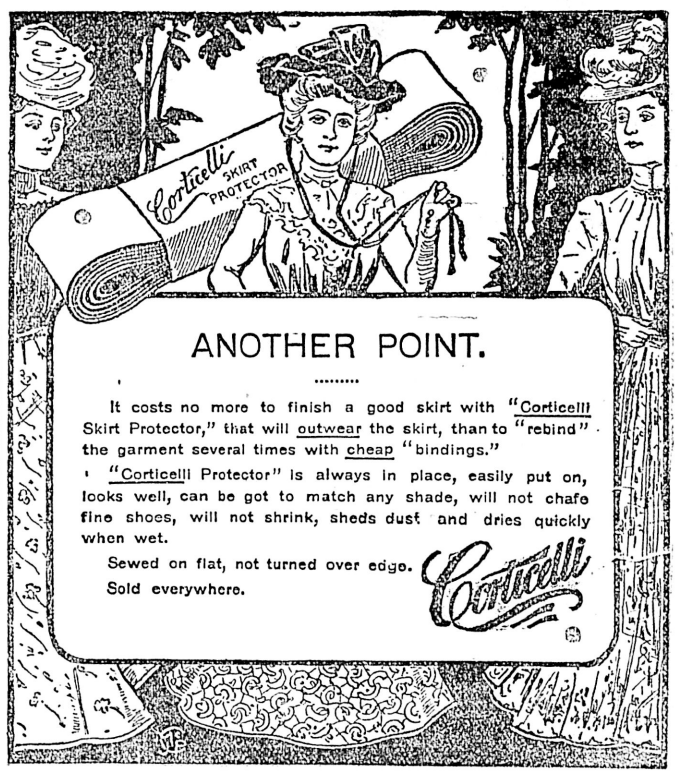

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LOCAL NEWS.

Meet Today.—The delegates to the meeting of the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., at Nanaimo, go up on this morning's train and the first meetings take place this evening.

Death's Hand.—Mrs. Thos. Hammond died last evening at the family residence, No. 81 Johns street. Deceased was 23 years of age, and a native of Flint, Mich. She has been but a short time in the city. She leaves a husband and mother. The funeral is arranged for Wednesday afternoon.

Flower Service.—The annual flower service at Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday afternoon, was very pretty, and was largely attended, the edifice being crowded. Each child carried a bouquet of flowers, which were received by Canon Beanlands and Rev. W. Baugh Allen, and after the service were sent to the hospitals. Rev. Mr. Allen delivered an appropriate address to the children.

Used His Boot.—Fred. Gilmore is a prisoner at the city lockup charged with having committed an aggravated assault upon Capt. Louis Nansen, a sealing captain. The two had a fight in a Yates street saloon, and it is alleged that Gilmore having knocked Hansen down, kicked him in the face. Hansen was not severely injured.

Valdes Railway.—M. J. Heney, the well known railway contractor, left Seattle today for Valdes. He is accompanied by two engineers and the object of the trip is to make an exploratory survey of a route for a railway from Valdes to the Yukon entirely through United States territory. The country is said to present no serious difficulties from an engineering point of view. Mr. Henry expects to be gone two months.

Epworth League—The Epworth League of the Metropolitan Methodist church held their monthly literary meeting last night, under the auspices of the Literary department. A good programme was rendered, notably among the items being several pieces from Shakespeare recited by Mr. Henderson, which were much enjoyed by all. At a short business meeting at the close, Mr. P. Whittington was unanimously appointed to the position of secretary, lately vacated by Miss Lewis.

Yukon Gold.—His Worship, the Mayor, Messrs. H. D. Helmcken, M. P. P., J. J. Shallcross and C. H. Lugrin, a special committee of the Board of Trade, completed yesterday a draft of a joint memorial to be presented to the provincial government by the Boards of Trade of Victoria and Vancouver, and dealing with the necessity for establishing assay offices in British Columbia in connection with the mint. The draft has been forwarded to Vancouver for the approval of the Board of Trade of that city.

To Inspect Garrison.—Colonel V. R. Biscoe, assistant-adjutant-general, who since Lord William Seymour left the Dominion last summer has been in command of the Imperial troops in Canada, and Colonel W. D. Conner, R. E., commanding royal engineers, to which position he was lately appointed, were among the passengers who arrived by the steamer Yosemite last night. The two officers were met at the wharf by Col. Grant, commanding officer of the forces at Work Point and escorted by him to the headquarters of the garrison, which they have come to inspect. The officers will make a complete inspection of the garrison, barracks and all Imperial works of defence at Esquimalt and nearby points. This inspection of the garrison is the first that has taken place since the withdrawal of the Royal Marine Artillery, for the garrison was last inspected by Lord William Seymour in 1898.

Tailors Meet.—The Journeymen Tailor's association held their weekly meeting last night, at which nothing more than routine business was transacted.

Greenwood School.—Ralph Smailes, merchant, of Greenwood, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. Smailes is arranging with the government for a conference on school matters with a delegation from Greenwood, the members of which will arrive here next Monday.

Memorial Day.—The Societies Memorial Day committee met last night. It was decided to postpone the celebration to Sunday, 23rd June, to give all societies time to make arrangements and send delegates to the final meetings, which will be held on Monday, the 17th inst., when a full programme will be considered.

To Be Dramatized.—Mrs. Mary E. Hitchcock, who is interested in a number of Atlin, White Horse, and Bear creek properties as well as in Wreck Bay on the island coast, arrived from New York on Sunday by the steamer Charmer, accompanied by Miss Marguerite Merington, of New York, who has undertaken the work of dramatizing Mrs. Hitchcock's book which appeared some time ago from Putnam's presses. Miss Merington is noted in the literary world as the authoress of "Capt. Lettenblair." Mrs. Hitchcock, who with her companion is at the Driard, will proceed to Atlin in the near future.

West Coast Mines.—Homer H. Swaney and H. F. Thomas of Irondale, where they have established, or more correctly speaking, re-established, a smelter, were among yesterday's arrivals at the Driard. They are on their way to Texada Island to look over their interests there. Speaking of the West Coast iron properties in which he is interested, Mr. Swaney says they have great faith in the future of the West Coast mines, and are getting their tunnels in a considerable distance at the different properties. Already they have spent $30,000, and in some few months to come they will know what they have got in the Barclay Sound iron mines. That they have faith in the prospects of these mines is shown from the fact that they are prepared to spend another $30,000 in their prospecting work on the island coast. At Sooke, the tunnel is in five or six feet, and the miners report fair prospects, but this mine is not as promising as those of Barclay Sound.

Natural History Society.—There was a good attendance at the Natural History society meeting last evening. Business was mainly of a routine character. Mr. Sylvester read a paper entitled the "Prehistoric Cairns of Vancouver Island" in which was presented in concise form the information so far available regarding their nature as ascertained by numerous excavations. The paper also dealt with existing themes as to their origin and antiquity. Apart from the fact that the mode of burial differed entirely from that of modern times so far as known, there was no internal or other evidence to determine even approximately the age of the cairns. That no ornaments, or any other object of value or implements of any kind had ever been discovered with the remains exhumed, would seem to indicate that the tribes so burying their dead were poor and lacking in many of the arts of prehistoric peoples whose remains archaeology had brought to light. Mr. Robinson, at the next meeting, will give a paper on "The Honey Bee." The president stated that the Historical society intended erecting a tablet marking the site of the old Hudson's Bay company's fort, and asked for exact information as to the date of its demolition. Among the specimens submutter, was a piece of Siwash "Muck-a-Muck" made from the lichen of the fir tree sent to Mr. Ashdown Green by Archdeacon Small of Lytton.

ST. BARNABAS' DAY.

Special Services Will Be Held in the Church of That Name.

A special service will be held this evening in St. Barnabas' church, this being the festival of the patron saint of that church. The order of the service follows:

EVENSONG.

Voluntary—Cornelius March...Mendelssohn

ORCHESTRA.

Processional Hymn 428
Psalm—149 .... Rimbault in G
Psalm—150 .... Humphreys in C
Magnificat .... Simper in D
Duet, Mrs. McB. Smith and Mrs. Jay.
Nunc Dimittis .... Simper in D
Solo, Mrs. Jay.
Anthem—Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem
.... Rev. E. V. Hall
Tenor Solo, Mr. J. S. Floyd; Quartette, Mrs. McB. Smith, Mrs. Jay, Mr. Floyd, Mr. Wollaston.
Hymn 413
Sermon ....
.....Preacher, Archdeacon of Columbia
Voluntary—The Pilgrim's Song of Hope .... Batiste
Orchestra.
Hymn 412
Recessional Hymn 437

SERVICE OF SONG.

Organ Solo—March Triumphale..Lemmens
Mr. J. A. Longfield.
Soprano Solo—A Dream of Paradise..Gray
Mrs. W. E. Stanland.
Bass Solo—Jerusalem .... Parker
Mr. P. Wollaston, Jr.
Contralto Solo—Calvary .... Rodney
Miss Lillian L. Armson.
Baritone Solo—Glory to Thee .....Gounod
Mr. Gideon Hicks.
Voluntary—Offertoire .... Batiste
Choir master, Mr. J. S. Floyd. Organist, Mr. Jesse Longfield, F. G. C. M.

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Cornish, 1.	M. B., 1.
D., 2.	M. E., 2.
D. D., 1.	M. L., 1.
D. F. 1.	Miner, 1.
D. K., 1.	M. X., 1.
F., 1.	Cannon Newton, 2.
485, 1.	Pianoforte, 1.
G. H., 4.	Phaeton, 1.
G. C. L., 2.	O., 1.
G. R., 4.	R. K., 1.
G. P., 1.	S. W., 2.
H. G., 2.	T. C. L., 1.
H. J., 1.	T. P. O., 1.
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LOST—Scottish [t]errier, wire haired; color, Brown; prick ears; weigh, 18 lbs; new collar on nec[k]; answers to the name of Rascal Rewd. W. C. Adam, Province office. m29

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders are invited for the construction of a wharf at Port San Juan, West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Drawings and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned, room 4, Bank of Commerce building, Victoria, B. C.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be in on or before 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, June 13th, 1901.

H. E. NEWTON.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Re Construction of Wharf at Port San Juan

The attention of contractors, who have already sent in tenders is called to the addition to the plans which are to be seen at Room 4, Bank of British Columbia.

H. E. NEWTON.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE GOODS OF AARON GARLAND, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Aaron Garland, who died on the 17th day of April, 1901, are required on or before the 17th day of May, 1901, to forward to the undersigned full particulars of their claims duly verified.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the executors shall not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by the undersigned at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of May, A. D. 1901.

ARTHUR LEE, Executor.

11 Trounce Avenue, Victoria, B. C.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next session, for a transfer of the license issued to me to sell liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Hall Saloon, situated on Fort street, in the City of Victoria, to Joseph Meyer.

WILLIAM CLAYTON.

June 6th, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at their next sitting as a Licensing Court for a transfer of my license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upon the premises situate on the south west corner of Government and Yates streets, Victoria City, known as the Adelphia Saloon, to Samuel Norman and Edward Lyons.

Dated this 28th day of May, 1901.

H. HELLIWELL.

Notice is hereby given that I shall apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at their next meeting, for a transfer of the license now held by Thomas Flewin to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Capital Saloon, situated at No. 7, Yates street, Victoria, to myself.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1901.

ALBERT CHARLES FLEWIN.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land, bounded on the south by the south boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the E. & N. Railway Land Grant.

LEONARD H. SOLLY, Land Commissioner.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

IN PROBATE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN REES, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Rees, late of Victoria, B. C., who died at San Francisco, California, U. S. A., are hereby requested to send particulars in writing of their said claim to the undersigned at Number 2, Broughton street, in the city of Victoria, on or before the 13th day of June, 1901, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executor has not had notice at the time of distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 29th day of May, 1901.

BODWELL & DUFF, Solicitors for Taliesin Evans, the said Executor.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Arthur Porter, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Arthur Porter, late of Victoria, B. C., deceased, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands, duly verified, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are required to pay such indebtedness to William Porter Worthington, of No. 15 Rock Bay, Victoria, aforesaid, the executor, to whom probate has been granted, on or before the 8th day of July next, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Arthur Porter amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim the said executor has not had notice at the time of the distribution.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of June, 1901.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, Solicitors for the Executor.

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One of the finest, if not the finest farm in the valley, comprising 1300 acres, 500 of which are under cultivation, and 100 of which are meadow in addition. The buildings on this property are modern, and of the very best; orchards, drainage, and everything being in first class repair. This is one of the finest grain ranches that is for sale in the Upper Country.

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, June 10—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

An area of disturbance has developed over Cassiar and Cariboo, and the barometer has fallen at most stations west of the Rockies. These conditions will probably cause showers over the Straits and the southern section of the province. The temperature has risen today in the valley of the Thompson river. In the Northwest a high barometer area is central at Calgary, and warmer weather is reported from Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	47	65
New Westminster	48	58
Kamloops	44	70
Barkerville	34	62
Calgary	40	54
Winnipeg	40	78
Portland, Ore	48	50
San Francisco	46	62

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time), Monday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate or fresh southerly winds, partly cloudy with showers tonight or Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, chiefly cloudy with showers tonight or Wednesday; stationary or higher temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 9.

	Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	48	Mean	53
Noon	56	Highest	59
5 p.m.	56	Lowest	48

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. ..... 8 miles west.
Noon ..... 12 miles southwest.
5 p.m. ..... 16 miles west.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Rain—.02 inch.
Sunshine—5 hours 24 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 30.148
Corrected 30.165

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 30.16

MONDAY, JUNE 10.

	Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	48	Mean	56
Noon	56	Highest	65
5 p.m.	57	Lowest	47

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. ..... 10 miles west.
Noon ..... 10 miles southwest.
5 p.m. ..... 20 miles southwest.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—6 hours 30 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 30.126
Corrected 30.142

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 30.14

COULD SCARCELY WALK.

Mr. George Thompson, a leading merchant of Blenheim, Ont., states: "I was troubled with itching piles for fifteen years, and at times they were so bad I could scarcely walk. I tried a great many remedies, but never found anything like Dr. Chase's Ointment. After the third application I obtained relief, and was completely cured by using one box." Ask your neighbors about Dr. Chase's Ointment, the only absolute cure for piles.

VICTORIA TIDES.

For the Month of June, 1901.
(Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of the Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

The zero of the accompanying scale corresponds to the average lowest yearly tide, and 18.3 feet above the sill of the Esquimalt Dry Dock.

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120 meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

Date.	Day.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.	Ht.	Time.
1	Sa	0 11	8.3	8 40	1.6	18 32	7.1	19 43	7.1
2	S	0 40	8.4	9 16	1.2	19.20	7.3	20 23	7.3
3	M.	1 10	8.4	9 44	1.0	20 02	7.4	21 05	7.4
4	Tu	1 38	8.4	10 21	0.8	20 36	7.5	21 50	7.5
5	W.	2 05	8.3	11 01	0.9	20 58	7.5	22 45	7.4
6	Th	2 35	8.0	11 43	1.2	21 06	7.4	.. ..	. .
7	F	0 16	7.2	3 11	7.5	12 27	1.7	20 57	7.4
8	Sa	2 10	6.7	4 16	6.8	13 14	2.3	20 58	7.6
9	S	...				14 05	3.0	21 12	7.8
10	M	4 30	4.9	9 28	5.5	14 58	3.9	21 36	8.1
11	Tu	5 16	3.8	11 32	5.5	15 52	4.7	22 06	8.5
12	W.	5 59	2.6	13 22	5.9	16 46	5.4	22 38	8.9
13	Th	6 40	1.6	14 50	6.5	17 39	6.1	23 12	9.2
14	F	7 20	0.7	15 58	7.0	18 33	6.7	23 49	9.4
15	Sa	8 01	0.2	16 54	7.4	19 29	7.0		
16	S	0 29	9.4	8 43	0.1	17 40	7.6	20 27	7.2
17	M	1 13	9.2	9 25	0.2	18 18	7.7	21 27	7.2
18	Tu	1 59	8.9	10 06	0.0	18 48	7.8	22 29	7.0
19	W	2 47	8.3	10 48	0.5	19 10	7.7	23 34	6.7
20	Th	3 36	7.6	11 29	1.2	19 29	7.8		
21	F	0 43	6.3	4.27	6.8	12 09	2.1	19 47	7.8
22	Sa	2 16	5.8	5 29	5.9	12 50	3.0	20 09	7.8
23	S	4 29	5.0	8 07	5.2	13 32	3.9	20 36	7.9
24	M	5 32	4.2	10 34	5.0	14 16	4.7	21 07	8.0
25	Tu	6 08	3.6	13 36	5.4	15 09	5.4	21 39	8.1
26	W	6 34	3.0					22 11	8.2
27	Th	5 57	2.6					22 42	8.3
28	F	7 19	2.2					23 10	8.4
29	Sa	7 43	1 8					23 37	8.5
30	S	8 11	1.4					.. ..	. .

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The cry went up, "They're off at last,"
And, speeding down the track then passed
A youth, who took and held the lead;
He rode a wheel renowned for speed.
THE RACYCLE.

Did he feel sad? Not much, you bet;
'Twas those behind had cause to fret;
A shout arose, "What does he ride?"
Ten thousand voices loud replied.
A RACYCLE.

"Beware! my son, be not too rash;
Beware! the awful strain and crash;"
This was the veteran's kindly hail.
The youth replied, "They never fail.
THESE RACYCLES.

"Oh, stay," the maiden said, "I'd like
To read the name upon your bike."
"Most certainly," the youth replied
'Tis as I thought the maiden cried.
A RACYCLE.

There in the twilight cold they lay,
The vanquished champions of that day.
No chance had they to win a race
With bikes not built to keep the pace.
WITH A RACYCLE.

MORAL.

If I had a "bike" and it wouldn't go,
D'ye think I'd smash it? Oh, no, no;
I'd sell it cheap to some "wise guy"
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A WELL KNOWN OIL EXPERT, who has since joined the board of directors and under whose supervision the development work will be carried on, says:

In my opinion, oil in this locality will be found at a much less depth than in Southern California, also of a higher grade.
(Signed) GILBERT J. ROOTE, E. M.
San Francisco, Feb. 11, 1901.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Sir,—However vivid and minute the description which may be given of the southern portion of the Kootenay, Coast people, or those who have not actually viewed that glorious country with their own eyes, can form but a faint conception of its wonderful fertility, its delectable climate, its boundless stores of mineral wealth, its interminable forests of magnificent timber. When dealing with the practical side of the matter, it may be as well to spare the reader anything more than a bare reference to its marvellous scenery, its streams and lakes leaping with fish that fight valiantly with the lucky angler; or of its birds and animals of the chase. These, of course have their place in the calculations of the most practical persons, when seeking an arena for life work. Even the shrewd railway projector is not altogether unmindful of the hard cash value of them to his railway; what time the tourist and the sportsman come in their legions seeking pastures new.

To the observant traveller through that wonderland of the West, nothing is more obvious than the fact that very much remains to be done by the railway companies in the matter of extending and adding to their lines in all directions. It is true that none has been more apt to seize upon this fact than the great Canadian Pacific railway, which, it is understood, has projected lines upon all the more feasible routes, and has included in its policy the gradual extension of its system so as to ramify the Southern Kootenays in the most effectual manner. With the struggle of smaller concerns to obtain a foothold in this territory, the people of British Columbia are familiar. It is one of the most romantic chapters in the railway history of the Dominion. While many have been keenly disappointed at the failure of those competing companies to achieve their object, the Canadian Pacific railway has given the strongest pledges that the lines of communication which are to solve the problem of "what to do with the Kootenays," will be built all in good time.

Perhaps the most interesting of all the railway lines in the upper country is the Columbian and Western, which extends from West Robson, on the Columbia river, to Midway, and has been surveyed much farther west. The history of the building of this line is quite a romance in itself. The contractors encountered obstacles in the progress of construction which were enough to discourage the most determined; one set of contractors abandoned their contract, and another set took it up, and so on, but the line was eventually completed through the difficult portion, in the mountains between Robson and the Kettle river. The tunnel, which was driven on this line, through a mountain of solid rock, is one of the marvels of railway construction in the province.

Immediately after leaving Robson the train passes many a famed mining camp. There is the great Burnt Basin district, far up the mountains, reckoned to contain ample deposits of the precious metals to justify the most extensive operations. All around this district the prospectors are busy at all season of the year. One hardy and daring miner has bored a hole in the face of a beetling cliff hundreds of feet in height; the drop from the mouth of the mine to the boulder-strewn shoulder below being fully three hundred feet sheer. From this it can be gathered that what the prospectors of the Kootenay miss is hardly worth notice. Wild, savage, appalling in its oppressive grandeur the scenery here equals anything on the main line of the C. P. R. Foaming torrents that are rivers in dimensions, pour endlessly, with thundering roar, over the lip of abysses the bottom of which cannot be discerned from the car windows, and drench the sombre woodlands round in everlasting mist. The practical man sees in those gigantic "grey mare tails" millions of horsepower going to waste; he calculates the enormous amount of labor-saving machinery which could be driven by the resistless force of those lofty cascades, whose only apparent object in the world at present seems to be to supply a grand diapason sostenuto to the wood notes wild from the denizens of the surrounding forests. While the poet notes with ecstacy the sound, the sight, and drinks in rhapsody for his lines at those spots, and the artist frantically sketches with flying crayon an impression of the scene, the man of machinery and engines calmly jots down the possibilities for factories and workshops contiguous to the Cascades. If ever water power is to play a leading part in the production of the articles of commerce and industry in this province, assuredly not the least important centre of that new-old force will be in those mountains along the line of the Columbia and Western railway.

Across the divide quite another kind of scenery awaits the traveller. Leaving the mountains with a rush, the train brings one in sight of the far-famed valley of the Kettle. Well has it been named the garden and granary of the Kootenays. Experts will tell the visitor that the soil is of a sort which is admirably suited to what may be termed garden-farming; that is, mixed farming in which fruit and vegetable-raising takes a conspicuous place.

The aspect of the country reminds one strongly of certain parts of Western Ontario, or of the dales on the borders of Scotland. Everywhere are to be seen the trim cottages or more pretentious dwellings of people who are evidently well-to-do. One might search far to feast his eyes upon a more pleasingly tranquil lanscape than that of the Kettle valley toward evening, when the sun is mellowing into the west, and the blue smoke ascends from cottage and farmhouse straight into the sapphire sky; the lowing of the kine from the river shallows; the bleating of sheep softened by distance from the green hillsides; the call of the driver to his team, all blending into a tune which sets one murmuring instinctively Gray's "Eleny in a Country Churchyard."

The land which can offer such scenes to the traveller is not likely to remain long untenanted. Nor is it; most of the land, at all events, the best of it, has been long in occupation. As to the products of the soil in this favored strip along British Columbia's southern frontier, the available area is by no means worked, yet to its full capacity; so far it can raise enough to supply the numerous mining camps in the mountains north and west. It is a question, though, whether, in the event of those mines being worked to their full extent, and large towns and even cities springing up around the valley, if the farmers and fruit and vegetable growers of that locality could produce enough to supply the demand.

This is a portion of the great peach belt, and the peaches of the Kettle are celebrated. For it is fervently warm in that long vale in the dog days, though every day the cooling airs from the surrounding mountains come to soothe panting humanity, and bird and beast. The apples, plums, pears, melons, pumpkins; and the small fruits all attain astonishing proportions, while retaining the lusciousness of the best of their kind. The various fruits and vegetables are presented to the consumer at an earlier date, probably, than anywhere else in the province. The wheat, oats, and barley raised in the Kettle [illegible] are too well known to require more than reference.

Near Grand Forks there is one of the largest and most productive fruit ranches on the Pacific Coast. The enterprising owner has so much faith in the future of the country that he has lately more than doubled the area under cultivation, and set the new portion out with all the choicest fruit trees and bushes. This ranche is situated at the mouth of the great canyon leading up to Greenwood, a little west of the town of Columbia, the lively rival of Grand Forks for the title of metropolis of the Kettle River Valley. As a district for raising live stock, it would be hard to beat. The sheep and cattle, horses and swine, and the poultry to be seen there will challenge the admiration of the expert. Year by year the valley is becoming more populous; the operation of such great enterprises as the Granby smelter, the prospect of the early building of a line to connect the Southern British Columbia mining centres with the big mining camps in Northern Washington, the thriving timber industry up the north fork of the Kettle—all those serve to attract energetic men with their families to settle in that locality. The class of people who are filling up that important section of the province would do credit to any British colony. They are mainly good Canadian stock, with a large intermixture of British immigrants. There are of course, many Americans in the population, as would naturally be expected, seeing that the boundary line is only a mile or two south.

Whilst the Kettle valley is the main lowland along the boundary, all the minor valleys possess the same fertile soil, the same prodigality of returns for the labor expended, and offer the same advantages to the settler. On the line of the Columbia and Western going up to Greenwood there is plenty of evidence that the country is not given up altogether to the miner and timber men; prosperous looking farms dot the valley everywhere, and "the cattle on a thousand hills" denote a flourishing state of the pastoral calling.

It is needless here to dilate upon the exquisite panorama that unfolds itself in majestic pictures as the train follows the course of the valley; suffice it to say that artist and photographer have there a happy hunting ground which offers inexhaustible riches of form and color—grotesque pinnacles, castellated crags, fantastic ornamentation as nature in her latest throe left it forever; blue distance, gaudy stripings and splashes of brilliant color—in short, a place once seen never to be forgotten. Since the railway was pushed through that wild, but rich and fertile valley there has been a wonderful increase in the population, and the prospects are that within a few years that part of the province will be noted for immense mineral development.

Leaving the flourishing city of Greenwood, the railway goes on to Midway and beyond, and there, if possible, the finest of the agricultural development is met with. This may, possibly, be due to the fact that one is then approaching the famed Okanagan region. The salubrity of the climate makes one feel the spirits rising and lassitude disappearing. It is the easiest of predictions to make that the dwellers in this favored region, in the days to come, will be remarkable for go-ahead enterprise and great energy; they will have the finest climatic conditions in the province to hearten them.

It is now proposed to extend the line along the Boundary through the renowned copper-gold region of the Similkameen, a district of the province which has a glorious future before it; for the "stuff" is there in such quantities as to stagger belief and defy calculation. More than this, the Similkameen is the land of beautiful streams and rolling prairies, covered perennially with sweet and succulent grasses, upon which the finest stock in all Canada is fattened. Careful surveys have proved the feasibility of the route through the Hope mountains into the valley of the Fraser, and the longest-headed railway men in Canada have given it as their well-weighed opinion that not until that line is constructed and in operation will British Columbia see its real day of great things arrive.

It is simply impossible to predict the enormous change which the existence of this railway will have upon the commerce and industries of this province. The placing of the Kootenays within seven or eight hours of Victoria and Vancouver can have but one result—the stimulation to an unprecedented and extraordinary extent of trade of all kinds. Only thus can the Western division of British Columbia compete on something like equal terms with Eastern Canada for the magnificent market of the Kootenays. It should be the earnest endeavor of every British Columbia to help forward by every means in his power the construction of that road, either as a government-owned line or as a branch of some one of the lines at present in operation in the province.

With the Fraser, Similkameen, Okanagan and Boundary districts linked by a railway, British Columbia would be ten times the country that it is at the present time.

T. L. GRAHAME.
Nanaimo, June 10, 1901.

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

Sir,—In your issue of this date, Mr. D. W. Higgins expresses his opinion as to the desirability of a new bridge at Point Ellice, so that there will be no doubt as to the stability of the bridge over which the cars will run when, as may be expected on the visit of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall here, they will visit the naval station at Esquimalt. Now Mr. Higgins, as one of the principals of the tramway company on its origination, expressed no doubt when the franchise was granted to the company, as to the stability of the late bridge, being only too glad to get a gratis roadway for the tramway company. Since that unfortunate affair which has cost the city so much, everyone who has considered the matter is desirous that a sufficient bridge should be erected, and as a makeshift in order to supply the necessary connection with Esquimalt the present temporary structure was put up, and has been maintained in good order since that time, and the city and others interested are, I understand, doing everything in their power to have a good and sufficient bridge for all purposes erected as early as possible. Mr. Higgins as a practical man knows that it is next to impossible between now and the visit of Their Royal Highnesses, to have the contemplated new bridge erected. Why, therefore, should he at this time come forward with such a letter as appears today. At the present time the Truck & Dray Co. are daily hauling heavy loads of brick to the government works at Esquimalt. I would suggest as a test as to the stability of the present structure, that arrangements be made by the city to have a double line of drays loaded with brick, which would equal five tons, ten tons each should be driven over the bridge as closely as the drays could follow each other. This would give an object lesson to Mr. Higgins and other experts, as it would determine the amount of deflection, if any, by putting such a continuous line of weight on the structure. This is the style of test adopted by the Board of Trade on all such works in England, and it is the only way in which it can be made plain to the public that a structure such as this is safe.

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